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Oct. 19.—The intrigues, the al the traitor's knifethrusts half century of American are revealed in the fierce rn criticism in "John Sherollections of Forty Years In Senate and Cabinet," just in this city. The fear that the senator would reveal sekept from the public in his g work has been to an extent Grant, Garfield, Blaine, Arison and other Republican spoken of with unstinted heir high personal worth or hip, but each is in guarded language shown in the less ole light of scheming politi- criticism is almost invarid rather than direct, but it clearly in the work as a

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Sale of a Railroad.

PHIS, Ky., Oct. 19.—The Padunnessee and Alabama railroad here yesterday to Judge J. W. of St. Louis, by Special Comers J. R. Puryear of this city B. Lamb of Paris, Tenn., for 0.

Fifty Persons Drowned.

NDRIA, Oct. 19.—A ferryboat 50 passengers on board collided ro with a steamer which was at The ferryboat capsized and 50 on board of her, mostly work re drowned.

WITH US

Are the British on the Monroe Doctrine.

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 19.—To-day's West Minster Gazette says there is no such thing as a proposed joint refusal of European power to accept the Monroe doctrine, and that if the time ever comes when it will be necessary to take sides, that Great Britain will stand with America.

MEXICO ALL RIGHT.

President Diaz Will Not Sanction a Prize Fight on Mexican Soil.

LAREDO, Tex., Oct. 19.—In an interview a few days ago in regard to the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight taking place on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande, L. Lameda Diaz, Mexican consul in this city, expressed himself freely on the subject. He was seen again yesterday. Senor Diaz was authorized to say that President Diaz was opposed to allowing prize fighting in Mexico, and the correspondent was directed to say that the proposed fight would not come off on Mexican soil.

The consul was shown the dispatch from El Paso which stated that the business men had raised $15,000 to pay for the Mexican concession. Senor Diaz was very emphatic in his denial that the Mexican government would make any concession at any price.

"We do not need money," he said, "and if we did we should not sell Mexican dignity for any amount of it. There is no concession for sale at El Paso, and I am officially authorized to state that President Diaz will not permit the fight to take place on Mexican soil."

MAXIM GUNS

Ordered by Both Great Britain and Venezuela.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—That the Venezuelan question is approaching an acute stage with possibilities of resistance by the South American government to British aggression, was signified by disclosures made in New York yesterday on the best authority. The government of Venezuela is providing itself with modern armament, and among other supplies has ordered ten improved Maxim guns from the British firm which manufactures them. The order was placed through a New York firm, and the English house, it is supposed, does not know the destination of the goods.

At the same time the syndicate of United States capitalists which has secured concessions on the Venezuelan gold lands claimed by Great Britain, is preparing to send a large force of prospectors, miners and workmen into the field.

RAILROAD WRECK.

Engine and Paycar Smashed—Three Men Killed.

CONTON, Ind., Oct. 19.—The paycar on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad was wrecked last evening and three men killed and several badly injured.

Dead.

John Malott.
James Gibson.
William Brown.

A gang of bridge workers had pushed their car on a switch to let the paycar pass, but neglected to close the switch, and the train, running 50 miles an hour, dashed into them. The paycar and engine were wrecked. Physicians from Decatur and a wrecking train are on the scene. All trains are delayed. News from the wreck is very meager, but several men are known to be fatally hurt. The dead men reside at Decatur and have families.

DISABLED BARK PICKED UP.

She Had Been Dismantled by Coming In Contact With a Hurricane.

GUAYAMAS, Oct. 19.—The British bark Sharpshooter, Captain Watts, which left Kanin, Chile, July 1, for San Francisco, with 700 tons of nitrate, struck a hurricane Aug. 9 in latitude 11 degrees north. She was partly dismantled and drifted for 61 days. She was towed into this port Thursday by the Mexican steamer Oxaca just as she was about to strike the rocks. The captain, his wife, three children and all men are well, though they suffered severely from lack of water.

She Saw a Ghost.

RICHMOND, Ind., Oct. 19. — Some time ago a man was found dead in a room at the Akron hotel. Yesterday while at work near this room Miss Ruby Hughes heard groans and on lookaround saw the ghost of the dead man standing in the door. With a scream she leaped over the bannister to the floor below and was probably fatally injured.

Execution Unavoidably Postponed.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Ky., Oct. 19.—Bedford Overton was to have been hanged here yesterday for the double murder of Gus Loed, an old peddler, and his wife, but the event was indefinitely postponed by the escape some weeks ago of Overton, and there is still no clue to the whereabouts of the murderer.

Tragic Sequel to a Sensation.

ORTONVILLE, Minn., Oct. 19.—Ten years ago Frank Kaatwitz attended the wedding of a neighbor boy. A few days later the bride deserted and joined Kaatwitz and the groom suicided. The widow immediately married her paramour. Thursday evening Kaatwitz beat and kicked his wife to death.

Summoned to London.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Sir Charles Cameron R. Leos, governor of British Guiana, has been summoned to London to confer with Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, upon Venezuelan affairs.

TRADE

Speculative Markets Not Very Encouraging.

COTTON EXPORTS ARRESTED

BECAUSE OF THE LATE ADVANCES IN PRICES AND CESSATION OF SLACK FOREIGN DEMAND.

The Events of the Week Promising in Nature, and No Further Shipments of Gold Apprehended—Wheat Not Moving Freely—Corn Is Stronger, Without Clear Reason While the Iron Industry and Textile Industries Have Strong Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: The events of the week are promising in nature, though to speculative markets not entirely encouraging. The great advance in cotton had arrested exports and so deranged exchanges that shipments of gold was for a time apprehended, but the break in the market indicates that the natural movement of the product may soon be restored. The halting of demand and moderate yielding of prices in the great industrial markets show that a season of reasonable attention to natural conditions has arrived, and gives hope that the future demand will be more nearly proportioned to actual consumption.

Other merchandise exports are small from New York for two weeks, 10 per cent less than last year, with imports in the two weeks of October 29 per cent more than last year. In September dutiable imports were 54.2, and for nine months 53.8 per cent larger than last year.

Wheat does not go out freely, and the attempt to advance prices on Monday was followed by an immediate decline. The Atlantic exports, flour included, have been in the past three weeks 4,558,455 bushels against 7,248,111 last year, and the big shipments from Russia and of late from Argentine, show that the world is not yet obliged to pay Atlantic prices for American wheat. Western receipts for the week were remarkably large—7,733,000 bushels, and for three weeks 21,688,977 against 14,017,261 last year. The rush of wheat to market and the largest output of flour ever known at Minneapolis, are not evidences of a great shortage in yield, but the price has changed only an eighth for this week.

Corn is stronger without clear reason, for while exports in three weeks are 5,828,294 bushels, against 250,768 last year, they can at best dispose of only an insignificant fraction of the great yield.

The iron industry is still fairly employed on old orders, but new business is so scanty that many of the works are seeking it at some concessions in price, and only large contracts have been made at from $1 to $1.50 for bridge plates offered at 1.50 to 1.60 cents. Billets sell at $11 and rod at $24 at Pittsburg, want of business in wire and wire nail continues. Mills have to compete in price with foreign producers with speculators who have large quantities on a rising market, and actual consumption will not be fairly measured until the effects of the speculation are out of the way.

Textile manufacturers have strong markets for materials to support them, but scarcely any advance is seen this week in cotton goods, though the rise for the month has averaged 4.1 per cent, and there seems such a halt as appeared a month ago in iron products. The price of some worsteds has been advanced, but it is as questionable as ever how far the market can be held by domestic makers, and woolen manufacturers have to face not only foreign competition, but an especial tendency of popular demand toward worsted fabrics.

Sales of wool, 21,209,700 pounds at the three chief markets against 12,702,800 in 1895, greatly exceed actual consumption.

Failures for the week have been 263 in the United States against 253 last year, and 46 in Canada against 43 last year.

LATEST FROM CUBA.

Colonel Hernandez Captures Insurgent Camp at Carboneras.

HAVANA, Oct. 19.—Colonel Hernandez, at the head of a column of troops, has attacked and captured the insurgent camp at Carboneras, in the Sagua district. The arms, ammunition and hospital stores and provisions of the enemy fell into the hands of the troops. Four insurgents were killed during the attack and Captain Sanchez, commanding a detachment of troops sent in pursuit of the enemy, killed two more insurgents.

Correspondence Captured.

MADRID, Oct. 19.—Official advices received here from Cuba say that 40 gendarmes have defeated 150 insurgents, killing five of them, and have seized horses, arms and correspondence between Maximo Gomez and Sanchez.

Shoe Factory Closed.

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—The immense shoe factory of Selz, Schwab & Company in this city has been closed because of the erratic course of the leather market. Between 700 and 800 men and women are thrown out of employment.

BLANCHESTER

Almost Totally Destroyed by Fire.

STARTED IN A LIVERY STABLE.

DAMAGE AMOUNTING TO A QUARTER OF MILLION DOLLARS DONE BY THE ELEMENTS.

The Better Portion of the Town Swept—Fire Departments of Neighboring Places Respond, But Were Able to Do Little Because of the Scarcity of Water and the High Wind Prevailing.

BLANCHESTER, O., Oct. 19.—At 1:30 yesterday afternoon fire started in Burke's livery stable on Broadway, and never stopped until 7 o'clock in the evening when it had wiped out the whole business portion of the town, five squares, bounded by Center, Short, Grove and Broadway streets and the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railway. A high wind prevailed and spread the flames like a prairie fire before a gale. The fire departments of Loveland, Lynchburg and Hillsboro responded to a call for help, but were of little avail because of the total lack of fire cisters and the great scarcity of water.

The flames did as they pleased, and only stopped when the wind went down and the fuel burned out. The result was the total destruction of 37 business houses and their contents, 13 dwellings and contents, two churches, two secret society lodges and the postoffice.

How the fire started has not been explained. The mayor has sworn in 150 special police to watch the salvage. The total loss is variously estimated at from $150,000 to $250,000. All is confusion, and nothing definite is know of the insurance.

IS MARRIAGE A FAILURE!

Woman Deserts Husband and Eight Children For Another Man.

BUFFALO, Oct. 19.—Mrs. Dollie Gish, 27, of Lafayette, O., was arrested here charged with deserting her children. She had come here in advance of her lover, George Adams, with whom she had planned an elopement. Adams was, however, arrested in Lafayette yesterday, and gave the address of Mrs. Gish.

Dropped Dead.

DELAWARE, O., Oct. 19.—William R. C. Pinkerton, 63, an old soldier, dropped dead on his return from a neighbor's house where he was carrying a bucket of water.

Fell From the Train.

ELYRIA, O., Oct. 19.—W. H. Moore fell from the top of a boxcar and was ground to pulp under the train.

Cut His Hand Off.

WEST UNION, O., Oct. 19.—George Rhode severed his left hand at the wrist with an axe.

SALE OF A VESSEL

By State of Illinois Causes Navy Department Much Concern.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—The navy department is very much concerned at the action of the Illinois authorities in selling the brick ship Illinois and keeping the proceeds in the state treasury. It has been the uniform rule heretofore to regard all property obtained by a state from the national government for the use of the state naval militia as a loan in trust, the property to be returned to the national government when it is no longer used by the militia.

While the conditions under which the state of Illinois became possessed of the brick ship, differed in some degree from those under which ships and equipment are issued to states generally, the naval authorities are disposed to believe that in this case there was no legal right in the state of Illinois to sell the brick ship and its fine equipment, and, therefore, it is taking steps to ascertain the rights of the national government in the matter.

HOUSE OF LORDS.

Lord Rosebery Says It Is a Menace to the State.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Lord Rosebery, the ex-premier, in a speech delivered yesterday at the opening of the new Liberal club at Scarborough, said that to his mind the primary obstacle to all reform, and the greatest danger to the stability of the state lay in the present constitution of the house of lords, and if the nation had realized that fact the result of the recent general elections would have been very different.

Recalled.

YOKOHAMA, Oct. 19.—The Japanese minister, Miura, and the other members of the legation and Japanese millitary officers at Seoul, have been recalled.

Indiana's Trial Trip a Success.

BOSTON, Oct. 19.—The battleship Indiana in her trial trip averaged 15.61 knots. The trial was a perfect success in every respect.

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VERY LOW RATES TO DAYTON.

Account Republican Mass Meeting Tuesday, October 22nd.

Sherman, McKinley and Foraker will all be at this meeting, which promises to be one of the largest meetings of the campaign and every one should attend. Tickets good going on all regular trains 22nd, and good to return same or next day.

The meeting will be held at the Fair grounds at 2 p. m. For full particulars inquire of your nearest ticket agent. D. G. EDWARDS, G. P. A.

Seasonable.

"Johnnie, Willie says you threw him down, and jumped on him with both feet."

"Well, ma, I was just playin.'"

"What sort of play do you call that?"

"Foot ball."—*Indianapolis Journal.*

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G Cailloutte, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail, and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Melville's Drug Store.

Grains too Small.

"He didn't have the sand to propose, did he, Bessie?"

"Yes; but she rejected him. She said that while he had ths sand to propose, he didn't have the rocks to marry."—*Harper's Magazine.*

If Troubled With Rheumatism Read This.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Apr. 16, 1894.—I have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism and found it to be all that is claimed for it. I believe it to be the best preparation for rheumatism and deep seated muscular pains on the market and cheerfully recommend it to the public. JNO. G. BROOKS, dealer in boots, shoes, etc., No. 18 Main street.

ALSO READ THIS.

MECHANICSVILLE, St. Mary County, Md.—I sold a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm to a man who had been suffering with rheumatish for several years. It made him a well man. A. J. MCGILL. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by. Melville Bros., next to P. O.; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

Waiting on the Other Fellow.

"Yes," said the business man to the clergyman: "I've lost a good deal of time in my life."

"By frittering it away, I suppose."

"No; by being punctual to my appointments.—*Boston Courier.*

The Darlington, Wis., *Journal* says editorially of a popular patent medicine: "We know from experience that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is all that is claimed for it, as on two occasions it stopped excruciating pains and possibly saved us from an untimely grave. We would not rest easy over night without it in the house." This remedy undoubtedly saves more pain and suffering than any other medicine in the world. Every family should keep it in the house, for it is sure to be needed sooner or later. For sale by Melville Bros., next to P. O., and C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

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FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

YOUNGEST TRICK CYCLIST.

Willie Kaufmann, Two and a Half Years of Age, Claims a World's Championship.

Willie Kaufmann is probably the youngest trick bicyclist in the world. Willie is 2½ years old and weighs something less than 25 pounds. He has owned and ridden a bicycle for six months, and some old timers at wheeling might learn something about fancy riding from this clever little fellow.

It is quite an unusual thing for a person of Willie's tender age to claim a championship and issue a challenge. Willie has broken the record in this direction. He offers to defend the title of champion trick and distance rider of the world at 2½ years against all comers.

His father, N. E. Kaufmann, who has beaten nearly every trick rider of note in the world, believes that Willie will develop into a wonderful cyclist in a very few years. The photograph from which the accompanying cut was drawn was taken in Hamburg. Willie is as proud of his father's medals as his father is of him. The medals in the picture are only a small part of Kaufmann senior's collection.—New York World.

A Twelve-year-old Duchess.

An interesting little personage is the Archduchess Elizabeth, the 12-year-old daughter of the Crown Princess Stephanie of Austria. She has been staying at Schloss Murzsteg in Steirmark, and being a sensible little lady she wished very much to make friends with the village children and take part in their games. No obstacle was placed in her way, and she joined them one day, asking prettily if she might play with them. The result was, as might have been expected, awestruck silence and a gradual edging away from the emperor's grandchild. Princess Elizabeth, as she is popularly called, did her best to reassure them, and told them not to be afraid of her, saying, "I am a little girl like you, and I will play with you as you play among yourselves."

Finding they still remained ill at ease she made them sit to her in turn while she sketched them, which pleased them very much, and by degrees the shyness wore off. The drawings were afterward sent to the emperor of Austria and other members of the imperial family. Kaiser Franz Josef was very much pleased with them, and wrote, stating his satisfaction at his grandchild's industry and the clever portraits, but expressed astonishment that she had portrayed all the children with widely open mouths. Princess Elizabeth wrote back: "The children only remain still when I promise them sweets. And then they open their mouths so wide." The emperor laughed heartily over the explanation.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Palindromes.

Palindrome is rather a big word, isn't it? But it does not seem so big when you know that it simply means a word which may be spelled forward or backward. Some one who has had lots of time on his hands has made a collection of some of them, and here they are:

Anna, bab, bob, did, civic, dad, deed, deified, dewed, ecce, eye, ewe, gog, gig, gag, level, madam, noon, otto, pap, peep, pip, pop, pup, redder, refer, repaper, reviver, rotator, sees, sexes, shahs, tat, tit, toot, tot and tut.—New York Times.

Little King Alfonso.

Little King Alfonso is growing up. When the papal nuncio visited him lately, the king challenged one of the bishops in his following to a game of billiards, and though barely tall enough to reach the table beat him. Recently he sent the first letter written entirely by himself to the pope and was very much hurt that his mother had to correct his spelling.

The Little Defender.

It's yo, heave, yo, afar we go
Though the breakers roar a-lea.
If the ship should wreck, we'll be on deck
Ahoy for the open sea!

We'll set the rib of the flying jib.
If she breaks, then we must mend her.
Alive or dead, we'll cast the lead
On board the little Defender.
—San Francisco Examiner.

The Red, White and Blue.

Our national colors do not belong exclusively to America. Great Britain cheers the red, white and blue, so do France, the Netherlands and Austria.

RED TAPE IN SENEGAL.

How a Traveler May Get a Bath In That Country.

A young French explorer, M. Gaston Donnet, contributes to Le Revue Bleue some vivid descriptions of the French colony of Senegal. The following happened at St. Louis, the capital, a dull, unprogressive French colonial town, eaten up with red tape and officialism. M. Donnet tells us that he and a fellow traveler wanted to take a bath. There is no establishment in the capital of Senegal. Rumor had it that it was possible to hire baths at the hospital. We asked, he says, one of the servants there for a bath.

"Certainly. Take seats. Your names, surnames and birthplace?"

"But we only want a bath."

"Exactly. What is your name, and where and when were you born, and are you government servants, soldiers or officers? No. Well, the rules do not provide for this. Wait a minute. I will read them over again. Yes, here is your case. You first make out on stamped paper an application to the governor of the colony. After favorable notice from the governor you send another application to the chief colonial doctor, who will send for you and will examine you."

"But we are not ill."

"It is the rule. Having examined you, the doctor will give you two noncommissioned officers' bath tickets, to be delivered to the assistant doctor."

"Why noncommissioned officers' bath?"

"Mon Dieu! In our accounts we recognize only two categories of persons, officers and civil servants, the latter taking rank with officers. You are not official at all. If officers were to find you in their baths, they would probably make a row."

"How long will all these formalities take?"

"Oh, nothing at all—two or three days, provided that your application is approved at government house."

A MILLIONAIRE'S AMUSEMENT.

The New Wealthy Ex-Junkman Spends His Time in Whittling.

A millionaire must be allowed to have some amusements, and if he is disposed to amuse himself in ways that would not be at all amusing to the big public made of men who are not millionaires he must certainly be accorded the privilege.

One of Chicago's greatest stockmen and packers was once a dealer in junk, and it is said that he once went about gathering old iron himself. Now he is reputed to be worth $25,000,000, and rumor says that he has his property in such shape that he could, if he chose, raise a larger sum in cash than any other man in Chicago.

Each morning the millionaire's man comes into his office with a bundle of clean pine sticks, which he places in a corner not far from the millionaire's desk. When the millionaire has read his morning mail, and business men come in to see him, he takes one of the sticks, and with a big, old fashioned jackknife whittles it into bits, the shavings falling on the floor. Sometimes he walks up and down—he walks much—and whittles. By the time business is done for the day his office looks like a carpenter shop and the bundle of pine sticks has vanished. The harder the business problems he has to meet the harder he whittles. And that is the way he amuses himself.—Chicago Record.

The Making of Tubing.

One of the most important parts of the bicycle, because it is the most in evidence, is the tubing. The manufacture of tubing is now carried on to a large extent in this country, although it is but recently that the home production has reached a stage of perfection where it could successfully compete with that of the English concerns.

There are a number of methods of making tubing, but the one mostly in vogue at present is what is termed the cold drawn process, and it is of this style of tubing that all the high grade machines are at present being made. The machinery required is ponderous, and the power required to draw out a piece of steel without heating it is another exhibition of the perfection of modern machinery.

There are a number of variations to the method employed, one of which consists in taking a piece of steel in the shape of a bar or ingot. This is bored through the center. It is then passed through a die, after which it is heated and treated to a bath in a secret preparation which removes the temper that the drawing process imparts. This is repeated a number of times, and each die used is smaller than its predecessor, with the result that the tube grows smaller and longer. This is continued till the tube is the right diameter and gauge.—Chicago Tribune.

To Prevent Chapping.

As cold weather approaches women try to devise means for preventing hands and lips from chapping. An excellent remedy to prevent chapping is cold cream. The manicurist told me that it also whitens the skin more than any preparation. It has taken the place of the old time remedy—mutton suet. It should be well rubbed into the skin, and gloves—preferably white—slipped on. The palms of the gloves should be slit in several places to allow the air and prevent cramp of the muscle, and the finger tips clipped off.

Vaseline should never touch the hands. It turns the skin yellow and leaves a stain on the nails that is hard to clear away.—New York World.

Removes the Odors.

A paste of ground mustard and water is a first rate agent for removing traces of disagreeable smelling substances from the hands, such as salts of valerianic acid, cod liver oil, etc. Huver claims that any oil seeds when powdered will answer this purpose. The smell of carbolic acid may be removed by rubbing with dampened flaxseed meal.

Recollections of Bismarck's Wartime.

In the columns of The Kreuzzeitung Herr Andrae, a well known Conservative politician and friend of Prince Bismarck, gives some interesting recollections of the period of the war of 1870. He says: "Bismarck read on the 9th of July the speech delivered by the Duke of Grammont on the 6th. He was at dinner and handed the newspaper to his wife, with the words: 'The Duke of Grammont must have soon got tired of his office. I shall, of course, have to ask for his resignation.' Later in the evening, while walking in the park at Varzin and thinking of the matter, the idea suddenly came to him, 'Napoleon wants war, and Grammont's speech was dictated by him.'

"He went to his room, his first thought being to telegraph to the king, at Ems, as follows, 'It would be best to mobilize at once, declare war and attack before France is prepared.' His nerves were strung to the highest tension, and he passed a sleepless night. Lying awake, thinking, there crossed his mind the text, 'Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God.' 'So that won't do,' he said to himself. Then all the political consequences of his contemplated action became clear to him, and he ended by casting the first message aside and telegraphing to King William simply not to pledge himself to anything with Benedetti, who, if he became pressing, was to be told, 'My minister of foreign affairs is at Varzin.'"—London News.

A Good Auctioneer.

"I'm going now. Yes, I'm going, going," murmured Steigher.

"What an excellent auctioneer you'd make," said the heartless but tired Miss Nyeegirl.—Boston Courier.

SACRED RUNNING OXEN.

They Are the Greatest Curiosities Among Ceylon's Domesticated Animals.

One of the greatest curiosities among the domesticated animals of Ceylon is a breed of cattle known to the zoologists as the "sacred running oxen." They are the dwarfs of the whole ox family, the largest specimens of the species never exceeding 30 inches, or 2½ feet in height. One sent to the Marquis of Canterbury in the year 1891, and which is still living and believed to be somewhere near 10 years of age, is only 22 inches high and weights but 169½ pounds. In Ceylon they are used for making quick trips across the country with express matter and other light loads, and it is said that four of them can pull a driver of a two wheeled cart and a 200 pound load of miscellaneous matter 60 to 70 miles a day. They keep up a constant swinging trot or run and have been known to travel 100 miles in a day and night without either food or water. No one knows anything concerning the origin of this peculiar breed of miniature cattle. They have been known on the island of Ceylon and in other Buddhistic countries for more than a thousand years. One story told to account for their origin is to the effect that they were originally cattle of the ordinary height and bulk; that a Buddhistic priest was once imprisoned in a stone building, one-half of which was used for a cattle stable. During the night he managed to dislodge one of the stones in his prison wall. The stone in question was exactly 2½ feet square.

It was almost daylight when this apostle of Buddha felt the air rush through the opening he had made and realized that he was all but free. He knew that he would be unable to get out of the enemy's country on foot, so he prayed that he might be provided with a beast of burden that would safely carry him to the homes of the followers of Buddha. No sooner had he done this than one of the large oxen which had been quietly feeding in a stall at his side walked leisurely to the 30 inch square opening and miraculously passed through it.

The priest followed and mounted the now sacredly dwarfed beast and was soon safe in his own country. Since that time, so the story goes, there has been a breed of "sacred running oxen" in Ceylon, which never grow too tall to pass through an opening the size of that made in the prison wall by Buddha's representative on the night when he miraculously escaped on the back of the first of the famous dwarfed oxen.—St. Louis Republic.

His Words Verified.

About 25 years ago a certain southern man brought a suit against the South Carolina railroad for damages to his property. He lost the case in the superior court, but insisted upon carrying it to the supreme court, where he represented his own cause. He began his argument by saying whimsically:

"May it please the court, there is an old French adage which says, 'A man who is his own lawyer hath a fool for a client.'"

The next week the supreme court pronounced its decision, which was adverse to the southerner. He was in Augusta at the time, but received the announcement of his second and final disappointment by means of a telegram sent him by a prominent judge, who was an intimate friend of his.

The telegram read as follows: "Judgment for defendant in error. French adage affirmed by supreme court."—Youth's Companion.

A Memorial to Her Pet.

Lowell has on one of her roadsides a large urn, which is kept constantly filled with fresh flowers at the expense of a wealthy lady who resides in the vicinity as a memorial to her pet poodle, which was killed by the cars at that point.—Boston Herald.

THE KING SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR

Reader, did you ever take SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR, the "KING OF LIVER MEDICINES?" Everybody needs to take a liver remedy. It is a sluggish or diseased liver that impairs digestion and causes constipation, when the waste that should be carried off remains in the body and poisons the whole system. That dull, heavy feeling is due to a torpid liver. Biliousness, Headache, Malaria and Indigestion are all liver diseases. Keep the liver active by an occasional dose of Simmons Liver Regulator and you'll get rid of these troubles, and give tone to the whole system. For a laxative Simmons Liver Regulator is BETTER THAN PILLS. It does not gripe, nor weaken, but greatly refreshes and strengthens.

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Rained a Terrapin.

A terrapin about as large as a silver dollar was the subject of a good deal of talk in Valdosta the other day, and the same terrapin came near settling in the minds of some people the theory that frogs and the like are often rained down in severe storms. During the heavy rain of last Friday the terrapin fell in the streets between Middleton's shoe shop and Davis' meat market. It was seen to strike the ground by two men in the shop and by Mr. Davis' little boy. There is no explanation as to where it came from except on the theory that it rained down, and the question now is, is that really the case?—*Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.*

Cure for Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of Headache, Electric Bitters has proven to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only Fifty cents at Melville's Drug Store.

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"I often do."—*Texas Siftings.*

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From the [illegible], Pa.

[illegible] April 21st, '95.

Dr. Williams Medicine Co.:

[illegible] contrary to [illegible] of the [illegible] profession to endorse or recommend any of the so-called proprietary preparations. I shall, nevertheless, give an account of some of my wonderful cures with your preparation, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The fact is well-known that regular practitioners do as a rule, recommend, much less, use preparations of this kind, consequently the body of men have no definite knowledge of their merit or lack of it, but soundly condemn them all without a trial. Such a course is foolishly absurd and unjust, and I, for one, [illegible] to give my patients the best treatment [illegible] me, for the particular disease with which they are suffering, no matter what it is, or how it arises. I was first brought to notice Dr. Williams' Pink Pills about [illegible] ago, after having seen some remarkable results from their use. Reuben Hoover, of [illegible] Pa., was a prominent contractor and builder. While superintending the work of erecting a large building during the winter, he contracted what was thought to be a cold. He having first noticed it one morning not being able to arise from his bed. After the usual treatment for this disease had failed to improve, but on the contrary rapidly worse, the case developing into locomotor ataxia, or partial paralysis of the entire muscle of the body. Electricity, tonics, massage, etc., were all given a trial, but gave no benefit, and the paralysis gained. In despair he was compelled to let his physician announce that his case was hopeless. About that time his wife noticed one of your advertisements and concluded to try your Pink Pills.

He had given up hope and it required a great deal of begging on the part of his wife to persuade him to take them regularly.

He, however, did as she desired, and if appearances indicate health in this man, one would think he was better than before his attack.

'Why,' says he, 'I began to improve in two weeks, and in four or five weeks I was entirely well and at work.'

Having seen these results I concluded that such a remedy is surely worth a trial at the hands of any physician, and consequently in a short time later I was called upon to treat a lady suffering with palpitation of the heart in extreme nervous prostration, after the [illegible] had failed to relieve, I ordered Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The result was simply [illegible]. Her attacks became less frequent and [illegible] in severity, until by their use for a period of only two months, she was the picture of health, rosy-cheeked and bright-eyed, as well as ever, and she has continued so until to-day, more than one year since she took any medicine. I have found these pills a specific for chorea, or as more commonly known, St. Vitus' dance, as beneficial results have in all cases marked their use. As a spring tonic any one who, from overwork or nervous strain during a long winter has become pale and languid, the Pink Pills will do wonders in brightening the countenance and in buoying the spirits, bringing roses to the pallid lips and renewing the fountain of youth.

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J. D. ALBRIGHT, M. D."

LOCOMOTOR ATAXIA SUCCESSFULLY TREATED.

From the Oswego, N. Y. Palladium.

T. D. McCarthy, of this place yesterday told a *Palladium* reporter his experience with Locomotor Ataxia. The account is of more [illegible] because Locomotor Ataxia is supposed to be incurable and yet Mr. McCarthy is cured. He said:

"In October, 1892 I was working at my trade, that of a machinist, in the Eames Vacuum Brake Works, at Watertown, N. Y. I had been sick several weeks before I gave up and quit work. A tired feeling seemed to have taken possession of me and rest as long and as well as I might I could not get rid of it. I took tonics and other medicines prescribed by the physicians there but kept getting worse all the time. Finally I became so bad that I could only walk a short distance, and that with the greatest exertion. My limbs seemed to me like so much lead, and there was a hitch in my walk. While walking I couldn't think of anything, not even the name of an acquaintance whom I might happen to meet in the street. Dr. Stevens, of Watertown, was my physician, and he it was who informed me that I suffered from locomotor ataxia, and advised me to go to my home. In the spring of 1892 I came to my father's home, 89 Varick Street, Oswego. I had about given up all hope of ever being anything but a helpless invalid. I couldn't sleep at night, and the physicians who attended dosed me with morphine and other opiates. Every day I tried to walk, and every day I appeared to be less able than the day before. I was about the worst looking wreck of a young man that you could imagine. It was in June, 1893, that I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I hadn't used the first box when I began to feel beneficial effects. My limbs appeared to be stronger and better able to sustain me. Gradually this feeling increased until finally I was able to lay aside my crutch and cane. Now I can walk or run as well as ever. I have for sometime past engaged myself in light work. I can't say too much for the Pink Pills. I hope every sufferer will try them."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are now given to the public as an unfailing blood builder and nerve restorer, curing all forms of weakness arising from a watery condition of the blood or shattered nerves. The pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50 (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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Of the arrival and departure of trains from Lima, Ohio.

O., H. & D.

North.	South.
7:10 a. m	5:45 a. m
3:40 p. m	9:20 a. m.
1:05 p. m daily	daily 1:20 p. m.
7:05 p. m	daily 6:05 p. m.
1:50 a. m daily	daily 2:30 a. m.
7:40 a. m—Sunday only	Sunday—7:35 a. m.

CHICAGO & ERIE.

East.	West.
7:00 a. m. Local	Local 7:00 a. m.
3:30 p. m	9:10 a. m
1:16 p. m	1:12 p. m.
1:45 a. m	12:08 a. m

P., F. W. & C.

East.	West.
7:45 a. m	9:20 a. m.
	2:50 p. m.
3:15 p. m	3:41 p. m.
4:55 p. m.	1:46 a. m.
1:50 p. m. Limited	Limited 3:43 a. m.

L. S. & W.

East.	West.
7:30 a. m	9:35 a. m
1:40 p. m	5:00 p. m.
7:20 p. m	2:46 a. m

OHIO SOUTHERN.

Depart—South.	Arrive.
8:00 a. m	12:30 p.m.
4:40 p. m	7:30 p. m

Scarf Pin Lock.

A device to insure the safety of a valuable scarf pin has been invented by Robert E. Sutters, of College Point, N. Y. A sleeve is made to fit over the point of the pin after it has been put in place in the scarf, and this clasps the shank so that the pin cannot be withdrawn until the sleeve is released.

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The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no money required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Melville Bros.

Now Is the Finest Time

Of the year to travel through the hills of Southern Ohio, as the foliage is very beautiful. Excursion train via O. S. will leave C. & E. depot at 7 a. m., Sunday, October 20th. $1.00 round trip. 2 2t

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SABBATH SERVICES.

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9 a. m.: preaching 10 a. m.; C. E. 6 p. m., and at 7 p. m. celebration of the silver wedding of the pastor and his wife. All are invited.

CALVARY REFORMED CHURCH,

Corner High and Cemetery streets. Preaching at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Church—Its Head and Members." Evening subject, "On What do You Base Your Claim?" Sunday School 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7 p. m. All welcome.

REV. DANIEL BURGHALTER. Pastor.

LIMA MISSION.

There will be religious services at the West Lima Mission church, corner of High and Cole streets, every evening at 7 o'clock, standard time, except Saturday, beginning Sunday evening next. Come out and help us, you that can. Much good can and will be done if the Christian people will come and help.

By order of

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CHRIST CHURCH,

North and West streets. Holy Communion Sunday at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 10 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon at 7 o'clock. All welcome. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 7 o'clock.

REV. C. B. CRAWFORD, Rector.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH,

Tanner street, Rev. J. H. Hunton, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Worship and sermon at 10:15 a. m. Young People's Luther Society at 6 p. m. Services at Trinity church Elida at 2 p. m. Seats free and all are cordially invited to these services.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

Quarterly meeting at Grace M. E. church Saturday evening and Sunday: preaching by the Presiding Elder, J. H. Fitzwater, Saturday evening; Sunday, 9 o'clock a. m. Love Feast; 10 a. m. sermon by Rev. Bethards; Epworth League at 6 p. m.; sermon by Presiding Elder at 7 p. m. All are invited.

GENERAL SYNOD LUTHERAN CHURCH,

corner west Spring and Pierce streets. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; preaching services at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. U. at 6 p. m. You are invited.

I. J. MILLER, Pastor.

MARKET STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,

corner west Market and West streets. The pastor, Rev. R. J. Thomson, will preach. Subject at 10 a. m. "The Worker and the Day;" at 7:30 p. m. teachings from the sermon on the mount, subject, "Profane Swearing;" S. S. at 11:30 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. An opportunity is afforded all to worship. Services free to all.

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH.

Love Feast 9 a. m.; preaching 10 a. m. by Rev. J. H. Fitzwater, D. D., followed by the Lord's Supper; Bible school 11:30 a. m.; Epworth League 6 p. m. and preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m., subject, "Religion and Politics," the first of the series. The people invited.

J. H. BETHARDS, Pastor.

MAIN ST. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m.; preaching at 10:15, subject, "The Immeasurable Obtaining Power of Faith;" Mission school at Solarville at 2 p. m.; Junior Endeavor at 2:30; Senior Endeavor at 6, and sermon at 7 on "The Method and Spirit of the early Preachers;" gospel service by the Bible Study Club at 7. Thursday evening. All made welcome.

W. G. SMITH, Pastor.

Catarrh in the Head

Is due to impure blood and cannot be cured with local applications. Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured hundreds of cases of catarrh because it purifies the blood and in this way removes the cause of the disease. It also builds up the system and prevents attacks of pneumonia, diphtheria and typhoid fever.

Hood's Pills become the favorite cathartic with every one who tries them. 25c.

DEMOCRATIC MEETINGS

PERRY TOWNSHIP.

The Democracy of Perry township will be addressed at Township House on Saturday evening, Oct. 19th, by W. H. Cunningham and Judge Robb.

SHAWNEE TOWNSHIP.

The Democracy of Shawnee township will be addressed at the Mowery school house on Saturday evening, Oct. 19, by U. M. Shappel and William Russler.

The Democracy of Kempton and vicinity will be addressed on Monday evening, October 21st, by William Russler and U. M. Shappel.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Ordering Cocoa and Chocolates be sure and ask for Huyler's. They have no superior.

CLOAK SALE at Treat's this week. All the newest styles and choicest materials can be seen in our cloak rooms. 11 5t

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A KANSAS WINDMILL.

All About Its Erection and the Amount of Work It Accomplishes.

Here is an interesting story of what a Kansas man can do with wind power, as told originally in The Rural New Yorker by himself. He says:

When I came to Kansas I bought a homestead with two wells about 70 feet apart. Later I put a 12 foot geared mill on the one farthest from the house and attached a grinder to it. I put a building over it. It was built with bins on one side and a corncrib on the other, 40 feet long and 20 wide, 12 feet to the square. It had two floors, with a cellar under part of it. I had a two hole I. X. L. corn sheller on the first floor and the grinder on the second floor.

I built a slanting hopper in the tower about six feet from the floor at the lower end, with slope enough for the grain to run out. I had a spout from the lower end into the hopper of the grinder. This bin held about 20 or 25 bushels. The chop bins were on the first floor. The chop fell direct from the grinder into these bins. I had a hole for each bin, and a bag with a hole in the bottom which I turned to whichever bin I wished the chop to drop into.

From the cellar I had a square funnel shaped hole dug, lined with flat stone and mortar, but got it partly lined with boards afterward. Outside of this funnel I set the elevator. This funnel was straight on one side, and the straight side was of matched boards. Above the funnel stood the corn sheller at the end of the cornerib. The elevator carried the grain up into the bin in the tower, from which it went on the grinder.

One year we had nearly 5,000 bushels of corn, of which perhaps 4,000 went through the sheller and the greater part through the grinder. Very frequently we mixed other grain with the corn to grind—oats, rye, barley, wheat, etc., and our ground feed was better than we generally got when we had it ground. I could grind from 20 to 100 bushels in a day, depending on the wind and the condition of the grinder and the fineness of the grist. I also ground hundreds of bushels for neighbors. To this mill were attached as needed a corn sheller and grinder, two pumps, a churn and grindstone. I also had the fixtures to attach a wood saw, and could attach either a drag or a circular saw. The mill pumped the water for nearly 100 head of cattle and horses, and sometimes 50 to 60 hogs. This water was pumped from the well at the mill. The other was used largely for irrigating the kitchen garden and for home use. It was attached and driven with elbows and a cable.

In a strong wind I could run the sheller, grinder, elevator, two pumps and churn at the same time. The grindstone was run from the corn sheller pulley, so I could not run the grindstone when shelling corn. The advantage of my arrangement was that I did not need to carry any grain, excepting to shovel the ear corn to the table of the sheller, which was in the crib. The corn came through a hole in the partition end of the crib to the corn sheller. The shelled corn dropped through a slatted floor to the elevator, thence to a hopper in the tower. When I had my hopper filled, I could go about my other business. I frequently was away several hours, while the mill and grinder were doing good and satisfactory work.

Artesian Wells For Irrigation.

One of the best artesian basins in the world is in South Dakota, though there, as elsewhere, some of the irrigating wells have been carelessly constructed. But if the cap rock and the water bearing rock are firm and hard they are still successful, though Professor J. H. Shepard thinks that it will be difficult to repair them when their common iron pipes are rusted through. He suggests that an outside casing should be firmly seated in the rock, below all sand. That no washing or caving of the sides may occur, the casing should closely follow the drill as soon as a flow is reached. Galvanized pipes should be used and joined by very strong couplings. The inner pipe, which penetrates the flow, should have its lower end perforated to prevent a rush of water at any point in the sand rock. To prevent the water from working up around the outside of the pipe and cutting the cap rock away, the casing should fit snugly in a small bore in the cap rock. All pipes placed within the first or outside casing should come to the top of the well.—American Agriculturist.

One Point In Wintering Bees.

An apiarist of long experience has this to say in The Beekeepers' Review regarding upward ventilation:

My conclusion is that upward ventilation appears to increase somewhat the tendency to an accumulation of feces, and also, at least in this experiment, to decrease the strength of the colony, and if this appearance is real we may conclude that the upward movement of the air disquiets the bees and causes a larger proportion than otherwise would to leave the cluster and perish.

Odd Mention.

White clover is recommended for pastures by the Oregon station.

Crimson clover failed to thrive on the Kansas station grounds.

H. S. Boley of the North Dakota station says that "varieties of wheat do not degenerate because of continuous growth upon the same soil." He believes that the theory that proper wheat culture demands a frequent change of soil is fallacious.

Mosby Prolific corn proved the most satisfactory plant for silage in a six years' experience at the Kansas station.

The town of Eureka, in South Dakota, is said to be the largest primary wheat market in the world.

To prevent rats from destroying corn in the cribs, where all other methods fail, fumigate with bisulphide of carbon.

Legislation against fraud in cheese is producing acceptable results in Wisconsin.

Has Her Hands Full—the woman who won't use Pearline—her hands full of work, and her head full of worry. Suits herself. If she'd rather work hard, and keep everlastingly at it, it is nobody else's business. But that isn't all of it. The clothes that she washes, with her careless, tiresome, rub, rub, rub, are soon worn out. That's your business, if she washes your clothes. It will pay you to look after it. Pearline saves them.

Send it Back Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearline." IT'S FALSE—Pearline is never peddled, and if your grocer sends you something in place of Pearline, be honest—*send it back.* 326 JAMES PYLE, N. Y.

Assignee's Notice.

Estate of W. L. Stall, insolvent:

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as assignee of the estate of W. L. Stall, of Lima, Allen county, Ohio. All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.

Dated this first day of October, A. D. 1895.

10-1-3w W. H. DUFFIELD, Assignee.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 6485

Simeon J. Mower, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph Ashbrenal, Defendant. } In the Probate Court.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Probate Court, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26th, A. D. 1895,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

Inlots numbered 4137, 4138, 4139, 4140, 4141, 4142, 4143, 4144, 4145, 4146, 4147, 4148, 4149, 4150, 4151, 4152, 4153, 4154, 4155, 4156, 4157, 4158, 4160, 4161, 4163, 4164, 4166, 4167, 4168, 4169, 4170, 4171, 4172, 4173, 4176, 4177, 4178, 4180, 4181, 4182, 4184, 4185, 4186, 4188, 4190, 4192, 4193, 4195, 4196, 4198, 4200, 4203, 4204, 4206, 4208, 4209, 4210, 4212, 4213, 4214, 4215, 4218, 4219 and 4220 in Joseph L. Askins' addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $800.00.

Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, September 23, 1895.

Moore & Watts, Plaintiff's attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 5518.

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James Pillars, Plaintiff, vs. Stewart Pillars, Defendant. } In the Probate Court, Allen County.

By virtue of a writ of sale, issued from the Probate Court, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16th, A. D. 1895,

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate on west Market street in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number Twelve hundred and twenty-six (1226) in Isaiah Pillars' sub-division in the city of Lima, in Allen county, Ohio, save and except fifty (50) feet off the east side thereof; said numbering being according to the new numbering of said inlots in said city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $5000.00.

Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen county, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, October 11th, 1895.

Motter & Mackenzie, plaintiff's attorneys.

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For Infirmary Director,
(Long Term.)
PETER LEIS,
Of Spencer Township.

For Infirmary Director,
(Short Term,)
PETER LEIS,
Of Spencer Township.

For Infirmary Directory,
(Short Term.)
ELI MECHLING.

That little private car episode would seem to show that Bushnell takes things as they come, and makes the worst of them.

English Dukes appear to be able to earn more American money than American dukes, not even excepting the pair Corbett owns.

At a well attended consultation of Republican leaders held in Columbus, Thursday, it was unanimously, but mournfully decided, that the Republican party is in a fair way to die from the wounds inflicted by Jimmy Campbell.

Surface indications and public sentiment indicate, and strongly too, that the people of Ohio will elect a Democratic Governor, long before the people of the Southwest elect to let Corbett and Fitzsimmons fight.

McKinley, on being asked at Van Wert yesterday why he rode over the country in a private car, answered:

"While we live, we live in c'over;
When we die, we die all over."

And Bushnell, who heard him, smiled as his thoughts reverted to the Lima baggage truck and his speech therefrom.

We are pleased to read an occasional item of truth in the editorial column of our esteemed morning contemporary. To-day it gracefully acknowledges its manifold sin and falsifying in charging the hard times of '92 and '93 on the Democratic party, by stating that they were due to the long campaign of '92. It claims it is supported in its belief by a large majority of the business of the country.

Reports from the thirty leading post offices of the country show that the third quarter of the present year was one of the most prosperous three months in the history of the postal service, the receipts having been over $600,000 in excess of the returns during the busy season of 1892, and nearly $800,000 more than was received during the corresponding quarter of 1893. Gratifying as the figures are in the aggregate, they are still more satisfactory when viewed in detail, since they show the increase to have been distributed among the principal cities regardless of locality—a pretty fair proof that the better times are not confined to a few lines of industry.

The *Gazette* of this morning charges Gus Lutz with ignorance, because it alleges that he electionered the young ladies working at the paper mills. Comparison is respectfully and earnestly invited between the candidate who will talk of his political chances to a good looking girl, and one who is so ignorant of the boundaries of his own county, that he gets three miles beyond the line into Auglaize county, in his quest for votes, before he finds out his mistake. That is just what Standish, the Republican candidate for treasurer, did. Wouldn't he be elegantly qualified intellectually to look up the section in which an Allen county land owner had real estate upon which he wanted to pay taxes. However, the charge against Mr. Lutz is not true; that against Standish is, for it came from his own educated lips.

The Enquirer has been accused of not liking the present tariff law. We like it a great deal better than Republican business men liked the McKinley act.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The man who discovered that Foraker went to New York to capture Platt for McKinley should be decorated with the full resources of a leather star.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

THAT EPISODE.

It seems from that little episode that occurred at the P. Ft. W. & C. depot yesterday morning that there is bad blood between Asa Bushnell and Governor McKinley. A half dozen Republicans went up to pay their respects to their candidate for Governor, who was advertised to pass here on his way to Van Wert. As the train pulled in Asa stepped out on a truck and proceeded to demonstrate in a threatrical manner that it was the duty of all public officials and aspirants for such honors to conduct themselves as common mortals, and to denounce as snobbish and ultra aristocratic the travelling in private cars or other conveyances not open to the common public. Every one supposed that he was referring to Senator Brice until the next train pulled in, having attached thereto the palatial private car of Governor McKinley, with the Governor and his political staff therein. Asa, who had just remarked that he was one of the common people himself, and never was caught in the act of riding over the country in such state, hurriedly shut up, boarded the private car and was hurried away. It is safe to say that if the Governor had known what a ripping up the back he had just received he would have permitted Asa to walk out of town. Verily how these brothers do love one another.

ANOTHER BOMB

Explodes Creating Consternation in Republican Ranks.

Ex-Governor Campbell, since the opening of the campaign has made charges that the last Republican Legislature was the most corrupt in the history of the State. In his Cincinnati speech he proved beyond question that it took money to pass or defeat any bill the Republican Ring saw fit to disapprove or espouse. To-day sees another indisputable proof of the truth of his statements, in the publication of a letter received at the Democratic State Central Committee rooms, yesterday, from Rev. C. W. Heoffer, the present Republican Representative from Darke county. The letter is here reproduced in its entirety:

October 17, 1895.

To Democratic State Executive and Central Committees of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio:

GENTLEMEN:—On account of personal reasons known to myself and immediate friends, I cannot consistently, nor will not support Hon. J. B. Foraker for United States Senator in the event of a Republican Legislature being elected this fall On the contrary, I hereby pledge, upon my honor, in the event of my election, to vote for any candidate you bodies indicate, whether he be Senator O. S. Brice or another, provided, that I am remunerated to the extent of $1,500 for the purpose of making my campaign and bringing about this result.

C. W. HEOFFER

"I hereby certify that I know the above to be the signature of C. W. Hoeffer. CONRAD KIPT."

When a minister, who is a member of a Republican Legislature, will write such a letter as the above, the public may well and naturally ask: What could have been the character of the other Republican members of the Legislature?

Mr. Hoeffer has been a minister of the gospel for twenty-five years in Darke county. He was elected to the last House of Representatives from Darke county on the Republican ticket, having been a life-long member of that party. So satisfactory was his

SERVICE TO HIS PARTY

that this year he was renominated by acclamation for his seat in the hall of legislation. He promptly accepted the nomination, and for many weeks has been making an active campaign throughout Darke county. One of the most intimate friends of Rev. Mr. Hoeffer is R. O. Fuller, a Bible salesman.

Ten days ago Mr. Fuller came to Columbus and called at the headquarters of the Democratic State Executive Committee. He did not ask for Chairman Anderson, but on the other hand, seemed anxious to evade the official of the committee. Mr. Fuller talked very mysteriously to several subordinates concerning the political intentions of his friend, Rev. Mr. Hoeffer.

Finally he aroused some curiosity by saying that he was the

DULY QUALIFIED AGENT

of Mr. Hoeffer, political and otherwise. Mr. Fuller said that, although a Republican, Mr Hoeffer, if elected, would vote for a Democrat for United States Senator for a consideration. The people he saw at the headquarters he instructed under no circumstances to mention this to Chairman Anderson, as Mr. Hoeffer and the chairman were from the same county. The statements of Mr. Fuller were treated as a jest, and he went away.

Nothing was heard of Mr. Fuller until yesterday, when he came to Columbus accompanied by Rev. Mr. Hoeffer. The reverend gentleman stopped at the Chittenden Hotel, while Mr. Fuller went to the Neil. Mr. Fuller soon afterward accosted Mr. "Bernie" Layton, the well-known Wapakoneta Democratic politician, who happened to be seated in the lobby of the Neil House. Mr. Fuller told Mr Layton that he had a proposition to submit to him. He then handed Mr. Layton the letter read at Greenville to-night by Dr. Norton. Mr. Layton told Mr. Fuller, as an excuse to get away, of course, that he must see some other people in reference to the matter, and taking the proposition he left Mr. Fuller at the hotel. After some little time had elapsed, Mr. Fuller appeared at the Democratic State Headquarters, and, calling for Chairman Anderson, told that

ALL THAT HAD HAPPENED

At the Neil. This was astounding news to the Chairman, who had been in ignorance up to this time of the entire affair. Mr. Fuller complained that he had given the proposition to a gentleman who had failed to return it, and that he must have either the document or the money. He said he wanted one or the other right away. Mr Hoeffer, he said, was waiting at the Neil House either for the return of the proposition or the payment of the $1,500. Chairman Anderson told Mr. Fuller that he did not want anything to do with him, and he dismissed the man from the rooms in a manner that was much cooler than the fall breeze without.

Mr. Fuller was not satisfied with this. He came a second time to the headquarters and demanded either the document or the money. Chairman Anderson's patience was exhausted by this time, and he summarily dismissed the

EMISSARY FROM REV. MR. HEOFFER

Mr. Fuller hung about the headquarters, however, and his continued presence called forth some sharp language from the Chairman. The Chairman asked Mr. Fuller whether Mr. Heoffer was not holding himself out to the people of Darke county as an honest Republican requesting their suffrage? Chairman Anderson answered this question himself, and then told Mr. Fuller that the Democratic committee did not want Mr. Heoffer's vote for United States Senator or anything else, and that the committee wanted nothing whatever to do with him.

"Why doesn't Mr. Heoffer go to the Republican committee with his demand for money?" asked Chairman Anderson.

"He has gone there already and been paid $285," replied Mr. Fuller.

Mr. Heoffer himself subsequently admitted to Chairman Anderson that the statement of Mr Fuller relating to the $285 was true. Mr. Fuller still lingered at the headquarters and urged an acceptance of the proposition or a return of the document. He became impatient and said that Mr. Heoffer could not wait longer as he had to return to Darke county and preach a funeral sermon at the village of Dawn at 10 o'clock this morning and that he (Mr. Fuller) was left here to

BRING HIM THE MONEY.

Mr. Fuller said that he himself had been to much loss of time and considerable expense in endeavoring to negotiate for Mr. Heoffer, and that he must have some money out of the affair. He admitted that he and Mr Hoeffer had arranged to divide the money between them, in the event of receiving it. Chairman Anderson once more told Mr. Fuller that he wanted nothing to do with him or Mr. Heoffer, and Mr. Fuller left the committee rooms. But this was not his last appearance. Within a half hour he again turned up and said to Chairman Anderson: "Well, I'll tell you one thing you must do for me. I have incurred this hotel bill here to-day, and want you to pay it."

Chairman Anderson declined to have anything to do with the affair in any manner whatever, and Mr. Fuller was left to settle his bill. Rev Mr. Hoeffer left the Chittenden after failing to secure the money or the return of his proposition and spent the night at the Davidson House He arose early this morning and, taking a train for home, preached the funeral sermon at the village of Down. Mr. Fuller was seen in the city at a late hour to-day, but his present whereabouts are not known. It is suppesed he has returned to Darke county.

HOEFFER ACKNOWLEDGES.

He Has Withdrawn From the County Ticket.

GREENVILLE, OHIO, Oct. 19th.—Rev. Mr. Hoeffer, whose letter to the Democratic State Executive Committee offering to sell his vote for Senator to Democrats for fifteen hundred dollars, was read by Dr. Norton last night, does not deny writing the letter. He has withdrawn his name from the county ticket as candidate for Representative and the committee will fill the vacancy.

Kleptophotography.

He—See that nice looking chap over there?

She—Of course I do. Would I miss anything like that?

He—Well, you want to watch him. He'll take anything in sight.

She—Gracious. Is he a kleptomaniac?

He—No. He's an amateur photographer.—Detroit Free Press.

ARMED SOCIALISTS.

Two Organizations In Ohio That Have Been Drilling For Over a Year.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Oct. 19. It is reported on what is deemed good authority that in what is known as the "Twenty-third ward" of Salineville exists an active German socialistic organization composed of miners and others. They have a regular time and place for secret meetings, and for more than a year are known to have had firearms and are known to have drilled in their use regularly.

An organization was perfected immediately following the riots of a year ago. Another and similar organization is known to exist at Leetonia. Except these socialistic organizations, which are composed only in part of miners, it is not believed that the miners as a class are arming.

WILL DRIVE JAPAN OUT.

Russia Is Aiding China In Every Way She Possibly Can.

PARIS, Oct. 19.—A special dispatch from St. Petersburg says an exchange of communications has occurred between the Russian government and the Japanese minister at St. Petersburg with reference to the recent disorders at Seoul, the capital of Korea. It is added that the Japanese minister assured the Russian government that the culprits would be punished. But Russia is said to have replied that she would be forced in consequence of the riots to take the steps considered necessary to preserve order and to make the Korean government independent of foreign interference.

Thackery on Slavery.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—A correspondent sends to The Times this morning a hitherto unpublished letter of W. M. Thackery, the novelist, dated New York in April, 1853, describing his tour in the United States and declaring that slavery is not by any means a horrifying institution. On the contrary, he asserts that it was the most costly and the clumsiest domestic and agricultural machine ever devised.

Gross Carelessness.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 19.—A telegram from Topeka states that a valise containing $120,000 in securities, lost by Bank Examiner Breidenthal, was in the car when it reached Topeka Thursday evening. The valise, however, owing to the confusion that prevailed at the time, was left on the train and resumed its journey to Denver. It is believed that the valise will be recovered in Denver.

The Kaffir Bubble.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The financial article in The Times this morning estimates that the Barnato clique yesterday purchased 100,000 shares. "Large purchases were made," says The Times, "by insiders of Debers diamond shares. On the whole, the situation is improved.

Operator Robbed.

POINT PLEASANT, W. Va., Oct. 19.—Operator L. P. Kuhn of the Kanawha and Michigan road was robbed of his watch and valuables and $31 in money by two masked men with revolvers. He was just closing his office for the night and was alone.

Spoiled the Wedding.

DULUTH, Oct. 19.—S. B. Brown and Miss Lillie Greenhurst were to be married, but Brown's wife and five children arrived from Texarkana, Tex., just in time to prevent it.

Mayor Indicted.

DANVILLE, Ills., Oct. 19.—Mayor William L. Runyan of this city was indicted yesterday by the grand jury of this county for malfeasance in office.

Cyclonic Disturbance In the Gulf.

HAVANA, Oct. 19.—A cyclonic disturbance is reported along the western part of Cuba, with a tendency to reach Havana and the coast of Florida.

Paid No Attention to a Killing.

COVINGTON, Ky., Oct. 19.—The grand jury adjourned without reference to the killing of Banker Sandford by Senator Goebel.

Cincinnati Man Elected.

BUFFALO, Oct. 19.—The Union Veteran Legion has elected Colonel George James of Cincinnati, O., national commander.

Winners.

At Oakley—Peabody, Fair Faith, Cochise, Bessie Bisland, Epona Leaflet.

At Detroit—Santa Cruz, Adilie B, Devault, Virgin, Logan.

At Forsythe—Bowling Green, Warren Point, Bansach, Lizzie B, Ingomar.

At St. Louis—Mermaid, May Ashley, Constant, Assignee, Ardelle.

At Kansas City—Nellie B, Little Dick, Little Eli, Ancille, Maid of Ansel.

The Weather.

For Ohio—Fair; colder toward evening; southwesterly winds shifting to northwesterly

For Indiana—Fair and colder; decidedly colder Sunday morning; winds becoming northwesterly.

For West Virginia—Fair; westerly winds.

SNAP SHOTS

At Passing Events In Many Different Places.

The Harvard-Princeton football game will take place at Princeton Nov. 2.

The government building in Chicago is to be demolished and a new one erected.

During a hurricane at Ancona, Italy, a dozen fishing smacks foundered and 12 fishermen were drowned.

The naval ordnance bureau is about to begin the manufacture of 10.3 inch field guns at the Washington gun factory.

George S. Chase was arrested at Louisville, Ky., charged with embezzling money entrusted to him to pay certain debts of his employer.

Miss Nettie Easley hanged herself at Louisville, Ky., because she was in love with a young man who was objectionable to her foster parents.

A boy aged about 12 has been picked up at Wilmington, O., who refuses to give any account of himself or his family except to say his father is a thief.

It has been discovered that the students of the University of Pennsylvania have fitted up an elaborate gambling room in connection with the institution.

Two colored sports of Portsmouth, O., got into a dispute over a game of cards, went out to the commons and fought a duel with razors. Both were severely slashed.

Little 6-year-old Ida Block was run down by a street car in Pittsburg. Her head was split in twain and her body ground to a pulp. The conductor used a large spoon and tin pan in gathering up the remains.

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DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH

rrested for Violating New York's Coasting Ordinance.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—The blotter of ieGowans pass tavern subpolice station in Central park bore this entry yesrday:

Arrested by Officer Michael J Sweeney, ke of Marlborough, 23 years old, resident of ngland; no occupation, single, temporary sidence Plaza hotel. Charge, violation of ark ordinance. Reprimanded and discharged Roundsman Ryan.

Thus briefly and officially is recorded e arrest yesterday of the young Duke f Marlborough, who is to wed Miss onsuelo Vanderbilt.

There is an ordinance which forbids hrelmen from riding faster than eight iles an hour in the park, or from asting down hill. The duke did not now this when he swung his feet over e handlebar and went sliding down e road to One Hundred and Fourth reet. Officer Sweeney gave chase, verhauled the young nobleman, and iformed him that he was under arrest. and the duke:

"This is an outrage. I am the Duke f Marlborough. How dare you insult e in this unwarranted manner?"

Officer Sweeney thought the young an was imposing upon him and flipantly replied: "I don't give a d—n ho you are."

Th duke exhibited his card, but was mpelled to accompany the officer to e station, which he did under protst. He said he was ignorant of the w, and offered to pay any fine that ight be imposed. After hearing both des of the case, Roundsman Ryan told e duke that he had been guilty of olating one of the park's most strinent rules, and with a few words of ution released him from custody. he duke refused to be interviewed, but s secretary said that he regarded the roceedings as a gross outrage.

ONLY TWENTY-FOUR SAVED.

ss of Life on the Kun Pai Was Worse Than at First Reported.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 19.—Additional adces received here from Kin Chow, ear which place on Wednesday last the eamer Kun Pai was destroyed by an xplosion which sank her in shallow ater, confirm the dispatch which ated that the loss of life was believed be very great. It is now announced at the explosion occurred in the fore art of the Kun Pai, which vessel was aded with troops. The explosion, the ause of which is unknown, completely recked the forward portion of the eamship and only 24 persons of those board of her were saved.

Wiped the Town Out.

CREEDE, Colo., Oct. 19.—All the ame buildings in the town burned st night. The fire burned over three ocks between First and Fourth streets. hirty-four business houses are deroyed, including the postoffice and e two newspaper offices, those of The entinel and The Candle. The loss is timated at $150,000.

Took All the Cash.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 19.—A. K. Ward, the sconding treasurer and manager of e Memphis Barrel and Heading comany, left here with his wife on the nbound Illinois Central train Thursy afternoon, and it is thought he took assage for Honduras. It is now thought at Ward's operations in forged papers ill exceed $200,000.

Had a Rough House.

MOORESTOWN, N. J., Oct. 19.—At a egro cakewalk James Haggerty, a orth Carolina negro, shot Charles Memm, Mrs. Silas Wessels, George Whitker and Charles Wiman, none of hom are expected to recover. Some e then shot Haggerty in the back. is wound is considered mortal.

Genuine New Woman.

HENDERSON, Ky., Oct. 19.—A young wside named Charles Haydenson, who r some time past worked on the farm Anson Parker, was injured by a reshing machine. When a doctor as called it was found that Haydenson a woman. She will adopt woman's pparel.

Presidential Appointments.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—The president as appointed F. Glenn Mattoon of orth Dakota to be Indian agent at ort Berthold agency, N. D., and Peter . Pernot of Indiana to be commissioner classify Northern Pacific railroad nds in the Bozeman land district in lontana.

Gold for South America.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Muller, Schall Company will ship $400,000 Americn gold to Buenos Ayres.

MARKET REPORTS.

rain and Stock Quotations For Oct. 18.

New York.

Beef—Family, $9 00@12 00; extra mess, $7 50 8 00; packed, $9 00@10 50. Pork—Mess—ickled bellies, 6¾@7½c; pickled shoulders, ¾@6½c; pickled hams, 8½@9c. Lard—Western eam closed at $6 00. Pork—Old mess, 75@10 00; family, $12 75; short clear, $12 00 14 00.

Butter—Western dairy, 10@14c; do creamy, 14@23c; do factory, 10½@13½c; Elgins, c; imitation creamery, 11@16c; state dairy, @21c, creamery, 22½@23c. Cheese—State rge, 6¾@9½c; small, 7@10½c; part skims, ¾@7½c; full skims, 2½@3c. Eggs—State and ennsylvania, 20@21½c; western fresh, 19@ c.

Chicago.

Cattle—Fair to best beeves, $3 20@5 80; stockrs and feeders, $2 25@4 00; mixed cows and ulls $1 10@3 75; Texans, $1 75@3 50; western, 25@4 30.

Hogs—Light, $3 40@3 95; rough packing and ipping, $3 35@3 50; mixed and butchers', 55@4 05; heavy packing and shipping, $3 00 d 35; pigs, $1 75@3 85.

Sheep—Native, $1 25@2 50; western, $2 15@ 05; Texas, $1 90@2 15. Lambs—$2 75@ 25.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, $5 10@5 30; fair to good utchers, $3 80@4 00; bulls, cows and stags, 50@4 00.

Hogs—Heavy, $4 20@4 25; medium, $4 20@ 25; roughs, $3 00@3 75.

Sheep and Lambs—Extras, $2 80@3 00; good ipping, $2 40@2 60; common, 50@$1 00; spring mbs $2 00@4 00. Veal calves, $3 25@3 75.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—No 2 red, 66c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 21½c. Rye—No. 2, Lard—$5 70. Bulk meats—$5 75. Bacon—00.

Hogs—$3 85@3 90. Cattle—$4 00@4 60. Sheep $2 00@2 65. Lambs—$3 75@3 85.

Buffalo.

Cattle—None on sale.

Hogs—Receipts 50 cars. Yorkers and meum heavy, $4 10@4 15; pigs, $4 10.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 40 cars. Mart very dull and lower.

Toledo.

Wheat—67½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 33c. Oats—white, 31c. Rye—48c. Cloverseed—

REV. AND MRS BAUM SURPRISED

In Honor of Their Silver Wedding Anniversary.

Last evening about five hundred friends of Rev. and Mrs. Baum assembled at the German Reformed church, on west Wayne street, and tendered them a surprise in honor of their silver wedding anniversary. The following programme was rendered:

Mendelsohns Wedding March..... Mrs. Deakin and Stueber
Prayer..... Rev. Dr Greding
Song..... Choir
Speech..... Dr Greding
Recitation..... Miss Barbara Shultz
Song..... Lenora Kissel
Speech..... Hon H. S Prophet
Duett..... Mrs. Deakin and Stueber
Speech..... E Cantleny
Song..... Choir
Speech..... Jacob Moser
Prayer..... Rev Greding

After the programme a delightful lunch was served in the parsonage.

The guests from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. John Hocker, of Wheatland, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hocker, Mr. and Wrs. Wendell Heiffric and Mr. and Mrs. Chas Klopp, Gallon, and Mrs. Kate Hartig and Miss Lizzie Hartig, of Frosburg, Neb.

MODERN WOODMEN.

Organization Perfected in This City Last Evening.

Lima Camp No. 3290, Modern Woodmen of America, was launched in this city last evening, under the direction of State Deputy C. J. Byrns, of Toledo, with a strong membership. The officers selected to manage its business are as follows:

V. G., E. Owen; W. A., J. F. Summers; Banker, P. A. Kahle; Clerk, W. T. Copeland; Escort, Ira D. Laurence; Watchman, L. J. Marley; Sentry, J. E. Coleman; Physician, L. F. Laudick; Managers, Rev. S. Baumgardner, J. P. Hall, Rev. W. G. Smith; Delegate to State Camp, W. T. Copeland.

The Modern Woodmen have a membership numbering 160,000 with a monthly increase of from four to six thousand and an addition of from 70 to 75 new camps each month. The organization in this city starts out under favorable auspices. The charter has been left open and the membership have started a vigorous campaign and are determined to swell the numerical strength immediately.

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Positively last day. Auction of Water Color Paintings at City Book Store.

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All the members of Geo. A. Tayler Command, No. 8, are ordered to report at C., H. & D. depot Tuesday, at 2 o'clock a. m., to go to Clyde to attend the Department Encampment. Bring your families with you. All soldiers and members of the G. A. R. their families and friends, are invited to join us. One fare for the round trip, via C., H. & D. R. R.

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CORNELIUS

Ties Ackerman's Score in the Gun Club Medal Contest.

In the third semi-monthly contest for the South Side Gun club medal yesterday afternoon Frank Cornelius tied Wm Ackerman's score of 44 out of 50 clay birds, although the latter arrived late and shot at twenty birds in semi-darkness. Morris also made an excellent score, shooting in the darkness.

Following was the individual score out of a possible 50: Ackerman 44; Cornelius 44; Morris 41; Hoose 39; Spellacy 28; Sullivan 28; Culver 25.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

NEW CASES.

Wm. Smelding vs. Jennie Nix, Ella Parker, Annie Rahe and State of Ohio. Foreclosure

Quincy National Bank vs. J. F. McShane and H. Weible. Cognovit.

CLOAK SALE at Treat's this week. All the newest styles and choicest materials can be seen in our cloak rooms. 11 5t

Magnetic Healing,

for the cure of all nervous diseases, neuralgia, paralysis, rheumatism, etc., is as much ahead of drugs as the modern electric railway is ahead of the old horse car. If you are afflicted do not fail to call on N. F. Payne, whose occult powers as a healer are unequalled. Address, 343 north Elizabeth street, city. 1t

Shot Himself.

While working with a 22 calibre revolver last evening, the 13-year-old son of C. C. Pierson, of Second street, shot himself, the bullet lodging near the large artery in the right leg above the knee

Drs Rudy and Hiner dressed the wound and to-day the injured boy is resting easy.

Last chance. Auction Paintings, City Book store tonight.

CLOAK SALE now going on at Treat's, 209 north Main street. 11 5t

H. M. Colvin Injured.

This afternoon, as H. M. Colvin was passing a stall in his barn on east Market street, a horse reared and kicked him over the left eye, cutting a deep gash, but it is thought did not injure the bone

Dr. Terwilliger dressed the wound.

Coal,

All kinds, quick deliveries and full weights. M. L. Johnston, 338 east North St. 3-12t

Cloak Sale now going on at Treat's, 209 north Main street. 11 5t

JAPANESE DOING GOOD WORK.

The Black Flags Are Rapidly Giving Way Before Them.

HONGKONG, Oct. 19.—Dispatches received here from the island of Formosa announce that Takao, on the west coast of that island, was captured on Wednesday last Oct. 16, by the Japanese. The dispatches also state that the Japanese intend to bombard Tai-Wan-Fu, the Chinese capital of the island. That city is held by the black flag leader, who refused to surrender unconditionally, and heavy fighting is expected.

Important Action Taken.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 19.—The Grand Lodge of Masons of Kentucky passed a resolution to the effect that "this grand lodge disapproves the conducting of such business (saloon) by a Master Mason."

Rumor Corrected.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—The Spanish minister, Senor de Lome, denies the statement that the Brazilian government had taken action granting belligerent rights to the Cuban insurgents.

Only Forty Years!

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Morris Schoenholz, the convicted firebug, was sentenced to 40 years in state's prison. Schoenholz broke down and was led from the court weeping.

Disaffected Professor.

HAVANA, Oct. 19.—The government has removed from his position Professor Jose Antignaz of the university, on the ground that he is disaffected toward Spain.

Campos Enjoying Good Health.

HAVANA, Oct. 19.—Captain General Martinez de Campos, who is enjoying his usual fine health and spirits, arrived here from Santiago de Cuba yesterday.

Burned In a Mine.

FRANKLIN, Wash., Oct. 19.—Fire broke out in the main hoisting slope of the Oregon Improvement company's mine, causing the death of John H. Glover, S. W. Smalley, John Adams and James Stafford. The accident was caused by August Johnson, who dropped his lamp, setting fire to a feeder of gas.

Americans In Trouble.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—W. H. Sherwood, who is said to be an American doctor of divinity, and J. A. Wilson, who is described as an American lawyer, both actors in the "Old Kentucky" company, were remanded at Blackburn yesterday on the charge of having stabbed a laborer in a brawl there.

Usually the Case.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 19.—Horace Loomis was tried for murder and acquitted on a plea of insanity. He was sent to an asylum but was there declared to be sane. He has demanded his release and says he can not again be tried for the murder.

Demands Money and a Courtmartial.

BERLIN, Oct. 19.—A dispatch to The Tageblatt says that England demands a courtmartial for Captain Lothaire, the Belgian officer who executed the English trader, Stokes, in the Congo state, and an indemnity of 1,000,000 francs to Stokes' family.

Shot Through the Heart.

NEWMARKET, Ind., Oct. 19.—John Jones drank alcohol on a wager, became insane and terrorized the community by shooting at several persons. A posse gave chase and his body was subsequently found in a thicket, he having been shot through the heart.

Still No Tidings.

TAWAS CITY, Mich., Oct. 19.—Nothing has been heard up to midnight Thursday from the tug Betral, which left Oscoda Thurday morning with seven men aboard. The tug O'Brien left again at 1 a. m. to continue the search for the Petrel.

HOT CAKES

A plate of delicious hot buckwheat cakes made with Larrowe's Country Buckwheat, makes a breakfast worth getting up early for. The purest buckwheat possible to produce because it's all buckwheat. Grown in the country, ground in the country, sent sealed from the country to you. Your dealer has it in two, five, or ten pound pkg., or write to

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SURE THING,

Children's Shoes will wear out, and the next surest thing in the world is that they must have new Shoes. It isn't stylish to let them go barefooted, you know.

We have Children's Shoes to sell, and Rubbers, too.

If you have never traded with us, you don't know how cheap we sell good Shoes.

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The Army of Tramps.

There can be no doubt that the tramp is in a certain sense the maker and chooser of his own career. The writer's experience with these vagrants has convinced him that, though they are almost always the victims of liquor and laziness, fully four-fifths of America's voluntary beggars have begun their wide and restless ways while still in their teens, and have been furthered in their wrong tendencies by unwise treatment applied to them when young.

Year after year, even month after month, trampdom is increased by squads of youths who will soon take and hold the places of their elders, who will naturally drop away with the years. These boyish roadsters are more often illegitimate than lawful children and consequently proper subjects for state care and guardianship. And the fact that every tramp in the United States has spent some part of his youth in a reform school, or, worst of all, in jails, demonstrates that there is a failure somewhere in our system of correction and reformation and makes it necessary and only fair that the sociologist as well as the reformer should know the tramp from boyhood to manhood. Superficial and unsympathetic studies of his character, with shallow theories about remedial measures, have so far failed signally in checking his malign influence upon society.—"How Men Become Tramps," by Josiah Flynt, in Century.

Hospitable.

A peculiar epitaph is inscribed on a tombstone in the old churchyard of an Ohio town. General Wayne was at one time in command of the fort mentioned in the epitaph.

Margaret,
Wife of David Gregory,
Died Aug. 12, 1821,
Aged 66 years.

Here lies the woman, the first save one,
That settled on the Miami above Fort Hamilton.
Her table was spread, and that of the best,
And Anthony Wayne was often her guest.

—Youth's Companion.

Living on One Food.

We hold that a well devised dietary system does not need frequent change. All do not require to eat the same in amount or kind. Uncooked fruits and nuts suit some. Others live almost entirely on bread and oatmeal, but when the correct diet has been found it is not necessary to change. Animals in a state of nature live on one food throughout their lives.—Vegetarian.

Napoleon's Statement About Enghien.

When Napoleon was on his deathbed, a maladroit attendant read from an English review a bitter arraignment of him as guilty of the duke's murder. The dying man rose, and catching up his will wrote in his own hand: "I had the Duc d'Enghien seized and tried because it was necessary to the safety, the interest and the honor of the French people, when by his own confession the Comte d'Artois was supporting 60 assassins in Paris. Under similar circumstances I would again do likewise." Nevertheless he gave himself the utmost pains on certain occasions to unload the entire responsibility on Talleyrand. To Lord Ebrington, to O'Meara, to Las Cases, to Montholon, he asseverated that Talleyrand had checked his impulses to clemency.—"Life of Napoleon," by Professor William M. Sloane, in Century.

Emperor and Empress at Strasburg.

STRASBURG, Oct. 19.—The Emperor and Empress of Germany and the ex-Empress Frederick arrived here last evening and were received with great ceremony by the military and municipal authorities. They were warmly cheered by a large concourse of people.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $130,959,193; gold reserve, $93,259,058.

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FOR SALE—Cheap, grocery store, fixtures, etc. Cheap rent. For particulars, call on or address Wm Williamson, No. 325 south Pine street Lima O. 3 3t

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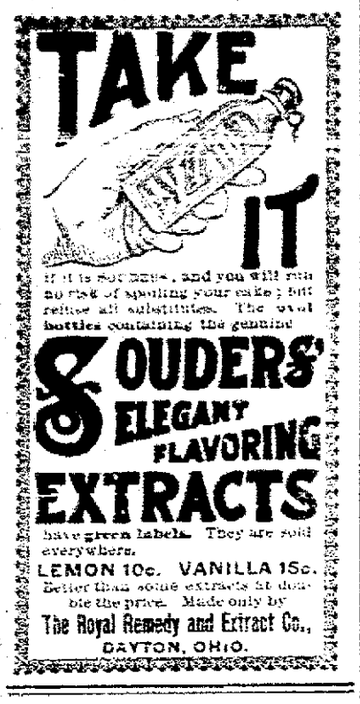

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SOUDERS' ELEGANT FLAVORING EXTRACTS

have green labels. They are sold everywhere.

LEMON 10c. VANILLA 15c.

Better than some extracts at double the price. Made only by

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Photographed Through a Plate of Ice.

A rather novel feat was performed recently at the Diamond Ice Company's works in Newport. A plate of ice was stood on edge just as it was taken out of the tank, where it had been frozen, and behind this some half a dozen persons, interested in the company, took their positions, while on the other side a photographer posed his camera and made an exposure. The features could be seen so distinctly through the ice that there is little question as to the success of the operation.—*Boston Herald.*

Dr. Hand's Colic Cure.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Jan. 5, 1894.—The Hand Medicine Co., Philadelphia:—We have used the sample bottle of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure with entire success and find that it does all that is claimed for it. No praise can be too great for such a truly wonderful remedy, and we cheerfully recommend it to anyone having a baby with the colic. I remain sincerely yours, Ferdinand M. King, 86 Scott street." Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children sold by all druggists, 25c.

From a Findlay Mother.

"Having used Dr. Hand's Colic Cure for my baby, I can fully recommend it. I have used a great many medicines for baby colic, and none have done so much good. I will hereafter use no other remedy for colicky babies.—Mrs. L. Tanner, Findlay, Ohio." Dr. Hand's Colic Cure, Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion and all of Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children sold by all druggists for 25c.

The Second Time.

The $75,000 handed by Cardinal Gibbons to the Pope on the occasion of the former's visit to Rome has already vanished. It was deposited by the Holy Father for safe keeping in the eminently respectable Bingen Bank, of Genoa and Rome, which came to grief recently. This is, unfortunately, the second time that money subscribed for the Vatican has been lost, owing to the insecurity of Italian banks and the lack of honesty of Roman financiers.—*New York World.*

With two little children subject to croup we do not rest easy without a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, for the most severe attacks quickly succumb to a few doses of it.—*Morrison, Colo., Bud.* For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Melville Bros., next to P. O.; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

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EXCURSIONS

Via C., H. & D. Ry. Co.

Atlanta Ga., and return, tickets good going Dec. 15 and returning until Jan. 7, $27.25. Tickets good 25 days from date of sale, $20.

Dayton and return Oct. 21 and 22, return 25th, rate $2.20.

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Home Seeker Excursion to the West and Northwest Oct. 22.

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Never Say Die.

Many desperate cases of kidney diseases pronounced incurable have been cured by the Clinic Kidney Cure. Many physicians use it. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, northeast cor. Main and North streets.

WOMAN'S WORLD.

AN ACTIVE WORKER IN THE SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

The American Girl—London's New Woman's Council—England's Women Workers—Chess Queens—Mrs. Maybrick's Case. Women in School Work.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt's name has been prominently mentioned in connection with the presidency of the National Suffrage association whenever a vacancy should occur. At present she is chairman of the department of political science and devotes her entire time to that division of suffrage work. In appearance Mrs. Catt is unusually attractive, being in charming contrast to the typical suffragist of the funny paper. When seen at the Auditorium, she talked particularly of the work of organization.

"Six months ago there were nine states without a single suffrage society," she said. "Organization has been perfected, and by the next national convention to be held at Washington in January it is expected the total membership will have been doubled. One new feature of the work of the National Suffrage association is the course of study in political science, issued to local clubs throughout the country. The course covers three years and gives particular attention to civil government, political economy, sociology and an investigation of the leading questions of the day with a view of fitting women for intelligent, conscientious citizenship.

CARRIE CHAPMAN CATT.

"Another innovation is the publication of a monthly bulletin containing news items, suggestions for work, suffrage programmes and letters from national officers.

"In honor of the birthday of Elizabeth Cady Stanton," continued Mrs. Catt, "a suffrage celebration will be held Nov. 12 by suffrage societies throughout the country. In Chicago the event will be observed by the Woman's club. Mrs. Stanton was the first American woman to openly advocate the enfranchisement of woman. This was 47 years ago, and it is intended that the progress of suffrage during these years shall be reviewed."

The work of organization of the National association is more systematic than is commonly supposed. From Mrs. Catt's headquarters in New York ten organizers are sent to different parts of the country. Besides much more is done in the way of organization through correspondence. In short, if women do not gain enfranchisement, it will be no fault of such wide awake workers as Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt.—Chicago Tribune.

The American Girl.

If Mr. Robert Grant is at all accurate and successful in his effort to present to his readers the young American woman and the young American man, then Mr. Andrew Lang is not infatuated with either. It is to be understood that it is the Robert Grant young woman and not the real young woman, unless the real fits in with Mr. Grant's, that the usually genial and courteous Mr. Lang criticises with unaccustomed severity, if not brutality. Doubtless there are young women here and also pretty much everywhere who might be characterized in Mr. Lang's paradox, "The American woman doesn't know what she wants, and will never be happy till she gets it." Which recalls the remark of an American woman that whenever she doesn't know what she wants, it's olives.

It is useless to attempt a generalization as to American young women. There is no distinct type, as there is in England, where most young women have a common racial origin, where there is a good deal of uniformity in education and where there is conventionality of manners. Here fashionable society receives recruits from nearly all classes—from families whose parentage is widely different one from another, and whose only common ground is wealth, or the appearance of wealth, and a common aim.

The girls of New England and the girls of the south are as different as possible in character and manners, though they may meet in New York on a common plane and in intimacy. There are intense girls, and inane, cheerful and amiable and amusing little idiots, and sedate and Minervalike goddesses, shy maidens and dashing coquettes, in any considerable group of girls. There is no more reason for accepting one than another as the type of the American girl. There are certainly some qualities common to all girls, but to English girls as well. It is as useless to attempt to describe the American girl as the American people, who are as varied as the nations of the earth, from all of which the American people have been drawn.—New York Post.

London's New Woman's Council.

Mrs. J. C. Croly, recently returned from a trip in Europe, where she has been making a study of women's clubs. She was present in late June at the house of Mrs. Bedford-Fenwick in London, where a preliminary meeting was held to discuss the formation of an English national council of women on the lines of those already existing in other countries. Mrs. Croly points out the different aspects which this English council resembles at the outset over the similar organization in America. This latter started with only two societies—the woman suffrage and temperance associations—represented by their great leaders, Susan B. Anthony and Frances Willard. These societies are still the most prominent in the council, the organization rather growing round them. The English council starts unhampered and with the experience of other councils to guide it.

It proposes, says Mrs. Croly, four divisions under which societies that come into membership will be grouped. These are the professional, political, industrial and social. The latter will have to be largely created, as at present there seems no medium or social organization which by any stretch of imagination could be called national. England is honeycombed with societies, but they are all for people, not with them. They work on separate and distinct lines, and are often diametrically opposed to one another. For example, one group is working hard to effect legislation for working women in the direction of shorter hours and improved conditions for labor; another is opposing all such legislation vigorously, believing that discrimination in favor of women will tell against the working woman with the employer.

England's Women Workers.

At present working women are subject to gross injustice in many trades. They are paid half as much as men for similar work of the same quality. They are wronged in many other ways. There is no remedy for this except to organize women as well as men in trades unions. Experience shows that, wherever possible, women and men should be members of the same trades union. "It is not good for" either "man" or woman "to be alone." Each supplements and helps the other. Another urgently needed reform is a great increase in the number of women factory inspectors. The late government appointed a few, but many more are needed. There are sanitary and moral questions with respect to which a factory girl could not speak to a man inspector, and she ought to have the protection and aid of an inspector of her own sex.

The final remedy, of course, for these and all other evils from which women, as women, still greatly suffer is the extension of the franchise to women. It is an indisputable fact that no section of English society has ever had its rights properly safeguarded by parliament until it has possessed the parliamentary vote. Before the first reform bill the middle class was wronged and outraged in all directions. Until the days of household suffrage the most urgent and vital needs of the working classes were neglected. And now, notwithstanding the splendid work of such women as Mrs. Josephine Butler, the late Mrs. Booth, Lady Henry Somerset and others, women and children do not enjoy the protection or help of parliament to anything like the extent that men enjoy both.—London Methodist Times.

Chess Queens.

The women chess players of England have wisely formed clubs, with a view to encourage systematic play and to increase the interest of the game among women. They are not alone in this praiseworthy effort. America has for several years had such an organization, its members holding weekly meetings during seven months of the year. In the spring of 1893 a few women met informally and organized what is now known as the Women's Chess Association of America, their plan of organization being closely allied to that of the Manhattan Chess club of New York.

In January, 1894, they elected their officers, and since that date have had their meetings at the Ladies' club, 28 East Twenty-second street, New York. Their roll of membership is at present 75, including a number of honorary members, selected from among the best women players in England and Ireland, the champion player of England, Miss Mary Rudge, and Mrs. Rowland of Ireland being among the number.

For three years a game has been in progress between Mrs. Rowland and a member of the American association, and the issue is still uncertain. During the autumn, winter and spring months the New York members of the association will hold their weekly meetings in the spacious parlors of the Woman's headquarters, 50 West Fifty-fifth street.

Helen Densmore on Mrs. Maybrick.

Dr. Helen Densmore, the energetic president of the Women's International Maybrick society, will spend the winter in California, pushing the work of the organization at whose head she is. She is quoted in the Boston Herald lately as saying: "We have determined to no longer ask anything of the English government, but to force it to action by public sentiment. That is a power that even the English government cannot withstand. At the time of Mrs. Maybrick's trial there was a general outcry against the unfairness of her trial and against her sentence, protest upon protest coming from judges, lawyers and government officials. I believe that this great miscarriage of justice will fill a most interesting page in the future history of English criminal jurisprudence and will be considered a disgrace to it. All we ask is a rehearing of the case by the home office. This it could do without releasing her, while, on the other hand, if she were guilty, it would be justified in keeping her. The new evidence in Mrs. Maybrick's favor has been sent to the home office, which deigns not to make reply. Had this evidence been presented at the trial Mrs. Maybrick could never have been convicted."

Women In School Work.

Inspectors of schools and state superintendents of education testify that the schools are best cared for when there are both men and women on the board. The men, owing to their larger business experience, are generally more competent to deal with the purely business questions that come before the board, but the women are found better able to deal with questions that relate to the children, and there are all sorts of little things about a school building that they look after more keenly than men. There are many [illegible] which a woman's eye is needed, and the same thing has been found true in the supervision of the schools.

One striking incident occurred in a Massachusetts town not far from Boston. A certain school suffered from repeated outbreaks of diphtheria and other diseases. The school committee had the building whitewashed and ventilated and did all they could think of to improve the sanitary arrangements, but in vain. The schoolhouse was about to be closed as hopelessly unhealthy, when a woman was elected to the school board. She went all over the building, and then asked to be shown the cellar.

The janitor was disgusted. He said no member of the school board had ever asked to be taken into the cellar before and that it was not in a fit state for visitors. This only made the lady the more determined to see it. She found in it an old well, reeking with filth. It was cleaned out and filled up, and the school had no more outbreaks of illness.—Louisville Post.

Miss Anthony Will Rest.

Susan B. Anthony has decided to take a little well earned rest in her late years. She is fitting up the attic of her house in Rochester as a study, and has engaged a stenographer. Miss Anthony intends to collect and assort her valuable autograph letters, memoirs, etc. She has infact her correspondence with Elizabeth Cady Stanton during their 40 years of acquaintance. Miss Anthony announces that hereafter she intends to remain more at home and direct her business by correspondence. She will give up much of the traveling and speaking that have occupied her for so many years, and leave it to the younger women, who, she says, are better able to endure the wear and strain of travel and public life.

Girls' Study of Agriculture.

An educational experiment which has been watched with more than usual interest is the Girls' School of Agriculture, in Minnesota, and now that it is pronounced a demonstrated success, it is hoped that other states will, as soon as practicable, establish similar schools. Cooking, canning, sewing, dairying, fruit and flower culture, household chemistry and entomology are branches of education taught, and there can be no doubt that a scientific knowledge of how to do these things in the best way will, by lightening the burdens of the farmer's wife, do much toward making that most natural of all lives more attractive to farmers' daughters.—Womankind.

Pretty Autumn Coat For a Child.

Navy blue flannel, with a small polka dot in white, makes a good cloak for a little girl of 6 to wear in the first cool days of autumn. Make it with a Gretchen waist and skirt reaching half way between knee and ankle frilled on it. Trim with shoulder capes of the same material, lined with plain blue, beginning at the waist line and ending in points at the waist line in front. The body of the cloak can be lined to make it warmer. A sailor hat of navy blue straw or a blue Tam O'Shanter cap, with a white tassel, can be worn with it.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Women of Importance.

Among the women who play a part in the politics of the world are the queen of Madagascar, the dowager empress of China, the queen regent of Spain, the dowager empress of Russia, the queen of Korea, the queen regent of the Netherlands and the queen of England. Each of these royal personages, with a single exception, seems to have her full share of trouble. In no one of the republics of the world do we observe any woman of political importance.

Miss Isabella Perkins.

Miss Isabella Perkins, who is about to go abroad for a couple of years, chaperoned by Mrs. Maud Howe Elliott, will at the end of this period come into possession of the $17,000,000 left to her by her grandfather, Mr. Stephen Weld of Boston. She is generally regarded as the richest of the Newport heiresses, as she is the only child of Captain and Mrs. Perkins, and the latter came into a similar amount.—San Francisco Argonaut.

She Shares His Labors.

Mr. and Mrs. Eastman occupy the pulpit of Park Street church, Elmira, N. Y., where Thomas K. Beecher officiated for over 40 years. Together husband and wife conduct the service. By turns they preach the sermon, and they share the parish work.

A female town crier fulfills her duties in the Scotch town of Dunning, Perthshire. She is a hale, hearty old dame of 70, locally known as the "bell wife," and is very proud of having proclaimed the queen's birthday for 33 years running.

Mrs. McCann of Santa Cruz, Cal., worked so hard for the success of the water festival that out of compliment to her as a suffragist the suffrage color, yellow, was adopted for the carnival colors.

Mrs. J. Ellen Foster will speak for woman suffrage this winter. Her subject will be "The Ballot and the Cradle." She will explain the relation of woman suffrage to the home and the state.

At a recent wedding the green of the bride's bouquet was myrtle cut from a root that was grown from a sprig taken from her mother's marriage bouquet.

In one of Ella Wheeler Wilcox's latest effusions she says that there are only two kinds of people in the world—those who lift and those who lean.

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

Vermont's Great Statesman Recommends Dr. Greene's Nervura to All.

He Says Dr. Greene's Nervura is a Wonderful Medicine. It Surely Cures the Weak, Tired and Nervous.

HON. T. S. McGINNISS.

Hon. T. S. McGinniss, of Jericho, Vt., the war horse of the Democratic party, is Vermont's silver-tongued orator, and always and ever commands the attention and respect of the people. He ran at the last election as the people's candidate for governor. Such is the high standing of the man who, out of his own experience, advises you to use Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy to be cured.

"We have used Dr Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy in our family," he says, "and think highly of it. We could plainly see that it had the desired effect upon Mrs. McGinniss, and firmly believe that, could we have persuaded her to use the medicine, it would have cured her entirely from her extremely nervous condition, but she was greatly benefited as it was.

"We have used it in our family with good results, and have recommended it to our friends, and know of many who have used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy with the best results. I do not hesitate to recommend the medicine to all. It is a wonderful medicine."

It must indeed be a great and good medicine which can call out such strong words in its praise as this recommendation of this honored statesman for all to use Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy to be cured. But it is a fact that doctors, statesmen, scholars, preachers, druggists and the people everywhere, unite with one voice in pronouncing this grand medicine the greatest curer of disease ever known. The weak, the feeble, the nervous, the run-down and debilitated, the sufferers from poor blood, rheumatism, dyspepsia, kidney and liver diseases, all are restored to health and strength by its marvelous curative powers.

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THE DESTRUCTIVE TEREDO.

Piling of Wharves and Railroad Trestles Ruined by It.

The teredo is the most destructive marine animal we have. It enters the submerged part of the piling of wharves or railroad trestles and bores into the interior. When it penetrates the surface of the wood it is about the size of a pin, but increases in size, always lengthening, but never leaving any part of the hole it bores until its full mission is accomplished. In this way it stretches from the original pin hole entrance far into the interior of the wood and swells in size to the diameter of a large lead pencil. At the big end are the cutters, two clam shells that rotate from side to side and cut a smooth, round hole. The worm sometimes attains the length of ten inches.

Hundreds of such worms attack the exposed wood at the same time, and in a short time honeycomb it. However numerous they are, they never interfere with one another, and no instance is found where one borer has cut into or crossed the boring of his neighbor, though the partitions left between the borings are sometimes no thicker than a sheet of paper. Another peculiarity is that as the places of entrance are no larger than pin heads and the worms remain and do their growing inside, the wood may be almost entirely consumed inside, yet the surface appears sound and unaffected. Suddenly, without the slightest warning, the wooden pile gives way and its fellows follow in short order, and the wharf which appeared substantial is wholly ruined.

To combat the teredo many expedients have been resorted to. One is to sheathe the piling in copper. Another is to cover the surface of the wood with broad headed tacks—the rust from which spreads so as to discourage the teredo's operations. Still another method is to boil the wood in creosote under heavy steam pressure, so that the creosote saturates the fibers of the wood.

All these methods are efficacious, and the creosote process is used with perfect success in wharf and trestle building all along the gulf coast. Its cost is the chief drawback, a single stick of creosote timber costing sometimes as much as $50.—Mobile Register.

SOME PERSONAL PECULIARITIES.

Eccentricities That Fasten Themselves to Men With the Firmness of Habit.

The late Senator Reagan of Texas used to do his thinking with a short string on his fingers, and this string he wound up and twisted and untied and tied again mechanically as he followed the debate. Senator Vest always chews a quill toothpick. Carlisle used to tear paper into bits and drop the pieces one by one on the floor. The latter is a tobacco chewer and spatters when he talks, making it uncomfortable for the interviewer.

Max Freeman, the expert stage manager, pulls you by the coat lapel and then pushes you away with his thumb in the most embarrassing manner. He will suddenly pull you, and then, as if he feared you are likely to tread on him, push you away from him quite as unexpectedly.

Jim Thompson, who aspires to be the best dressed man in town, and comes pretty close to it, has been trying to raise a mustache, but his habit of fingering one side of it wears that section out, and then the whole must be shaved off and he has to begin over again.

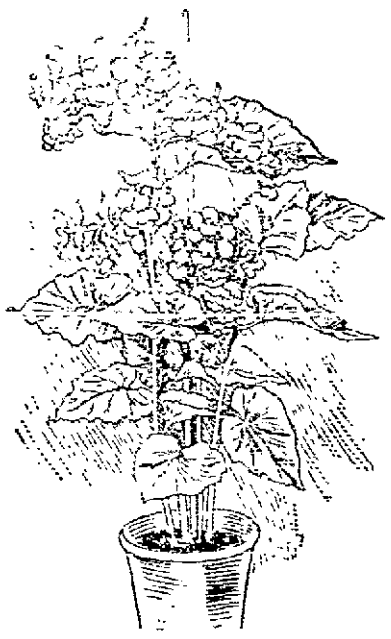
A gentleman comes down through Herald square every day who may be seen glancing at his left shoulder and flecking at it with his right hand. There isn't anything there—not even the nap of his coat, which he has this worn away. Yet he will keep pecking at it about twice a minute. Another man of my acquaintance is always glancing from one shoulder to the other, as if to see if they are yet really there. A popular Pittsburger on the square sounds your lungs with his forefinger while he talks to you—tapping away like a woodpecker on a hollow limb. Another from the same burg—a good story teller—always emphasizes his stories with liberal punches in your ribs.—New York Herald.

FRUIT & FLOWER LOVERS

WINTER BEGONIAS

Varieties Prized by Florists and Amateurs for Conservatory Decoration.

Begonias are in general favor as winter blooming plants for their grace, beauty and diversified character. B. semperflorens, in its many forms, is useful for conservatory decoration in winter or the flower garden in summer. They are among the easiest to grow, propagating freely either from cuttings or seeds. Thousands of seedlings come up every year under the greenhouse benches, and, characteristic of the genus, many varied forms appear. American Gardening has that Vernon, the bronzed leaved form, turns on a glossy hue under exposure to the sun, making an excellent bedding plant. A fitting companion for this is fuchsioides. The variety Carrieri, dwarf white flowered, makes a good front row plant and is also a good pot plant. Sutton's Perfection is somewhat taller, but quite self supporting. B. s. rosea gigantea has so far not been a success as a bedder, but is splendid indoors.



BEGONIA SEMPERFLORENS.

B. Bismarcki, a garden hybrid, is one of the best greenhouse plants. It is always in bloom, from the cutting bench onward.

B. nitida is a very showy kind seldom seen. The foliage is abundant, nearly round, shiny green. The plant makes a compact and very pretty specimen.

B. metallica is too well known to need description, but it is here worthy of note that it does better in a light soil and needs a little higher temperature than do the majority of its congeners.

B. Mme. de Lesseps (argenteo-guttata—albo) is a most distinct and handsome foliaged plant. B. President Carnot is another handsome variety of this class. B. olbia is considered one of the most beautiful foliaged plants of the genus.

B. argenteo-guttata, new a few years ago, is now quite common. It is handsomely spotted, and being one of the easiest to propagate and grow is in general use as a florist's plant.

Barreling Apples.

Many of the most profitable operations in commercial life depend in the first instance upon very simple facts. Most persons would pass by without observing the barreling of apples, as a case in point. If apples were placed loosely in barrels, they would soon rot, though passing over but a very short distance of travel, and yet, when properly barreled, they can be sent thousands of miles, even over the roughest ocean voyage, in perfect security.

This, explains Meehan's Monthly, is owing to the fact discussed years ago, without any one knowing particularly the reason, that an apple rotted from a bruise only when the skin was broken. An apple can be pressed so as to have indentations over its whole surface without any danger of rotting, providing the skin is not broken. In barreling apples, therefore, gentle pressure is exercised so that the fruit is fairly pressed into each other, and it is impossible for any one fruit to change its place in the barrel on its journey. Apples are sometimes taken out of the barrels with large indentations over their whole surface, and yet no sign of decay. In these modern times we understand the reason. The atmosphere is full of microscopic germs which produce fermentation, and unless they can get an entrance into the fruit rot cannot take place. A mere indentation, without a rupture of the outer skin, does not permit of the action of these microbes. This is a simple reason why the early observations enabled the barreling of apples to be so successful.

Things That Are Told.

The new Triumph peach is a yellow freestone, and ripens with the Amsden.

Some good vineyardists do not prune at all till the latter part of winter or in early spring. In this case the pruning may be done so as to leave only the buds expected to bear fruit the coming season.

Among pears, one of the comparatively old varieties, known as Beurre Clairgeau, is still in as much demand today as it ever was, and is one of the standard winter pears.

A "new spineless gooseberry" is advertised in the English papers. It is claimed that it is "spineless, of robust growth, has large red fruit of the best quality, and the bushes are extremely prolific."

The ordinary Japan quince, Cydonia japonica, which is almost entirely grown for ornament, has a much more agreeable odor than even the common quince has.

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What Happens When They Get Out of Order.

HOW TO CURE THEM AGAIN.

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Other folks suffer from diabetes, rheumatism, gout, gravel, sleeplessness, anaemia, nervousness, headache, neuralgia, etc.

All these diseases would go if the poison could be got out of your blood. If the kidneys would only do their work. If you would only take Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills to *make* your kidneys do their work.

It is not your kidneys' fault.

You should be trying to help them.

You can do it by taking Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills.

It is such an easy piece of knowledge to remember.

Your kidneys are simply filters. They need looking to now and then like other filters. If they are kept clean and healthy, they will keep your blood clean and healthy, and you will be strong and healthy.

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They do not work miracles.

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A Triumph of Elementary Education.

The following little incident happened in a London suburb: A bootmaker's apprentice, a lad of about 14, delivered a pair of boots at a tradesman's house. The tradesman's wife, accustomed to orderly business ways, asked the lad, after handing him the money for the boots, to receipt the bill. At this request the lad showed the greatest confusion, so that the woman, to reassure him, said, "Just receipt it, as a matter of business." Whereupon he wrote laboriously something on the paper. In the evening, when the tradesman examined the papers on the spike, he came upon a bootmaker's bill, at the foot of which was written in large letters in a schoolboy hand, "As a matter of business." It was the youthful apprentice's literal interpretation of the demand for a receipt as a matter of business.—Westminster Review.

How Tennyson Asked For an Apple.

Mr. Sherrard adds that his father used to tell him that when he was a boy he once met Tennyson at a dinner party, and that he was very frightened at his appearance. "Tennyson was at that time very sallow—almost yellow—and had long black hair. At dessert the poet bent across the table and addressed my father, in front of whom was placed a dish of fruit, and said, 'Evolve me an apple.' 'I did not know what he wanted me to do,' said my father."—Westminster Gazette.

Thus Endeth the Lesson.

Her Mother—Bessie, dear, I'm sorry to see my little girl show such a lack of respect for her seniors. When a neighbor comes to call on us, you should sit quietly and not speak unless you are spoken to. You do not mean to be disrespectful, I am sure, but you should think of the impression you are making on your neighbors, and you will try hereafter, I hope, to—

Bessie—You'd better look out, mamma. You'll talk yourself to death.—Chicago Tribune.

If your children are subject to croup watch for the first symptom of the disease—hoarseness. If Chamberlains Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse it will prevent the attack. Even after the croupy cough has appeared the attack can alwas be prevented by giving this remedy. It is also invaluable for colds and whooping cough. For sale by Melville Bros., next to P. O.; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

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MINING OF PHOSPHATES.

Where Deposits Are Found and How They Are Prepared.

The Florida phosphate deposits are of great importance, yet their existence was discovered so recently and their extent is still so uncertain that few persons not engaged in the sale of fertilizing materials have much knowledge of the large industry which has sprung up in the Peninsular State. It has practically created a new city—Ocala—which had a population of but a few hundred in 1870, but is now a thriving business center with modern improvements, banking facilities and ample railway and transportation facilities. Engineering, the leading engineering journal of the world, makes the following statements concerning the region, which are of considerable interest as coming from an unbiased source: "There is no phosphate region in the world known today that possesses so many advantages for successful mining as the Florida deposits. The grade of material is the highest average that is being worked anywhere. The facilities for moving the products to points for distribution are good. The average distance from mines to ports for shipments is about 150 miles.

"The distributing stations for the hard rock district are Port Tampa, Fernandina, Brunswick and Savannah, the largest tonnage being moved from Fernandina, where storage bins are located and loading facilities are good. Port Tampa, the terminus of the Plant system of railroads, is constantly adding facilities for prompt handling of cargoes of phosphate and at present very nearly equals Fernandina in the amount of its shipments. Railroad are numerous and cheaply constructed when necessary to extend them into new sections. The machinery needed to mine and prepare the material is simple and inexpensive compared with that generally used in other mining operations, and the cost of a plant with sufficient land to work upon is within the reach of small investors. The working days at the mines are about 280 during the year. The climate is healthful, laborers readily obtained at a fair compensation, and skilled operatives are at hand who are becoming familiar with the business.

"The mining camps are generally well regulated, and proprietors and employees can reside at the mines with safety and with little inconvenience, as supplies of all kinds can be readily obtained at the towns located in the near vicinity of all the large mining fields. Telegraph and mail facilities are within easy access of nearly every mining camp in the state. Florida phosphates are mostly shipped to European ports and are manufactured into fertilizers in England, Ireland, Germany, France, and quite recently shipments have been made to the Sandwich Islands. Foreign agents of consumers and dealers in phosphates have their offices near the center of production, and contracts for delivery and prices are commonly fixed at points of shipment, the material being sold at a price per unit of its contents of phosphate of lime. The Florida phosphates are all used in the manufacture of commercial fertilizers and superphosphate."—Boston Transcript.

THE RETIRED BURGLAR.

He Finds It Hard to Accustom Himself to Ordinary Hours of Living.

"My chief trouble now," said the retired burglar, "is about my hours. I have been so long accustomed to working nights and sleeping days that I find it difficult to change back to the hours of other folks. Instead of having my breakfast at 7 o'clock in the morning I have it at 7 o'clock in the evening. Some folks make their dinner the last meal in the day, but I never could get used to that. I can sleep better on a light meal, so I have my dinner in the middle of the day—I mean the middle of the night—and my supper about 5 o'clock in the morning.

"This schedule works all right for the first half of the night. There's plenty of life then, and I can go to the theater and one place and another, but after dinner, I must say, I find it pretty tedious. When I was at work and my mind was occupied, I never thought anything about it, but now it is different. This is a bigger town than it used to be, and it's open all night. There's plenty of occupations nowadays that people work at all night, but the people that work at 'em are working at 'em. You don't see 'em around the streets, and the general fact remains that most people work days and sleep nights, and the cold fact is that from dinner time to supper time I feel sort o' lost.

"But I'm not discouraged. I don't suppose I could change the habits of a lifetime in a minute, and I shall just keep on trying till I get my hours shifted around again like other people's."—New York Sun.

WATER FOR FOWLS

An Ingenious and Simple Device That Answers the Purpose.

This simple and really excellent device deserves the attention of every man that has fowls on his place. It is simply to put a few posts at convenient points in the yard and fill them with water for the fowls to drink. This water soon becomes stale and dirty, and besides it evaporates rapidly, and has to be renewed often.

Instead of that primitive arrangement, suppose you try the one here illustrated. Against the fence or a wall fasten in a suitable manner a champagne bottle filled with water and turned upside down. Let the neck of the bottle come within, say, half an inch of touching the bottom of an earthenware platter, or, better still, let it reach half way from the rim of the platter to the bottom.

FOR THIRSTY FOWLS.

Of course some of the water will run out of the bottle, which is what you desire, but when the surface of the water reaches the neck of the bottle the flow will stop. As the fowls drink the surface of the water is lowered, of course, but fresh air enters the bottle and more water comes down, thus keeping the water in the platter at a uniform depth.

Fix one or more of these fountains in the shade at convenient places, and you will add very much to the comfort of your fowls.

WHY IT DOES NOT PAY.

If Poultry Is Unprofitable It Is Because It Is Not Cared For.

The farmer who would keep his live stock as some of them do their poultry would be looked upon as a very poor sort of a stick as far as management is concerned. So many seem to think that the poultry ought to find its living around the straw stacks, pigsties and in the manure heap, without any further attention in the way of feeding, and ought to be content if any kind of a shed is provided for it to sleep in. We know of farms where all the stock is well cared for except the fowls and these are allowed to live on sufferance, the owner declaring that every hen on the farm eats her head off more than once during the year and is an intolerable nuisance all the time.

Whenever a man begins to pay proper attention to his fowls and feeds them as regularly as he does the rest of his stock he finds that his poultry pays him better for the amount invested in them than any other stock he may have, and we have never known a farmer who began to keep an account with his poultry but was willing to admit that it paid its keeping and left a wide margin of profit.

Poultry properly cared for is a source of revenue to every farm, as it finds and consumes a great deal that would otherwise go to waste and turns this waste material into good, hard dollars.

There is an awakening of interest in this subject, as is proved by the increase of business observed among those who make a specialty of pure bred poultry, and it is to be hoped that this interest will go on increasing until the United States produces at least as many eggs as are consumed in the country. As it now is eggs are imported in large numbers.

Separate the Sexes.

The importance for the early separation of the sexes in the growing broods, admitted so freely, is not practiced as it should be. Hardly a farm home can be seen but the chicks are all running together, eating out of one common trough and being fed with the thought of putting the cockerels in the best possible shape for market. The result can only be injury to the pullets. Looking over into a large yard where nearly 300 were running together, we could but notice how generous was the feeding by the owner and how plump the pullets were. Strange it is that we cannot realize that the currents are set at an early age and habits formed not easily broken. The dollars in early winter come from the pullets having the widest range today, not from those running with the cockerels.—Maine Farmer.

Selecting Fowls at the Market.

An experienced eye can tell a young chicken at a glance, for it has several points of distinction from one that is old. If there are spurs and comb, they are small and undeveloped; the legs are bright and soft instead of dull and scaly as when old, and there are practically no pin feathers on a very young chicken, while an old fowl has a great many, the number being in proportion to the age. The young chickens are usually not very fat, and there is more bone in proportion to the meat than on old ones. When a chicken is more than a year old, it is called a fowl and is in prime condition for roasting until it is from 2 to 3 years old.

Corn Fed Pullets.

Spring pullets intended for winter layers should not be fed much corn. It is a grand food for fattening fowls for market, but for developing pullets it is lacking in essential elements. Wheat, oats, sorghum seed, green food of any kind, with liberty to hunt for and capture insects, are the things needed. They require no elaborate bills of fare. Any good sound grain in full rations except corn will do the work effectually. Corn fed pullets will become fat and lazy and will lack in muscular growth, strength and activity.—Texas Farm and Ranch.

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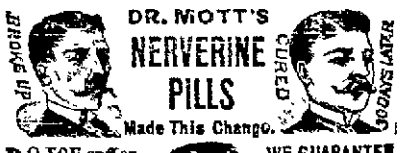

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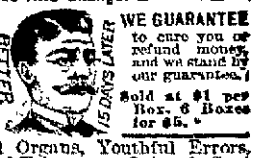

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TALES OF THE TOWN.

Mr. John Barber is recovering from severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Hance are visiting friends in St. Louis.

About thirty men are now at work excavating in Hog creek.

Decidedly colder weather predicted for the next forty-eight hours.

Emanuel Bryan has sued Sarah Bryan in Probate Court for divorce.

P. D. McSweeney was very low this afternoon and he cannot live but a few days.

The council committee has decided an eight foot channel will be wide enough through Hog creek.

James Carder, a stranger arrested last night for drunkenness, was ordered out of town to-day.

Bert Newman, overtaken at Fremont for not paying a $21 board bill at Jack Berry's, settled the matter.

While feeding a corn husker at his home in Amanda township yesterday Arthur Stump had his left hand taken off.

Another case of diphtheria has appeared in the Fellows family at 788 south Elizabeth street. The case is the fifth in the family.

Mrs. W. T. Von Bion, who has been very ill for several weeks with malarial fever, at her home on east High street, is able to sit up.

The furnace at the Steel Works has been repaired and the moulders who went on a strike about two weeks ago have resumed work.

A large class was initiated by Stella Lodge D. of R. last evening and a number of Spencerville members were present and luncheon was served.

The members of the Round Table are urgently requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Willard Price, next Monday evening at 7 o'clock sharp.

Fred Drashoff, arrested last night for associating with Min Dyer, in her Tanner street resort last night, was released to-day, upon promise to leave town.

John Lovett pleaded guilty, in police court, to fighting, to-day, and was remanded for sentence and warrants are out for Frank Joy and Henry Schick.

A. Cluster, who left a board bill unpaid at the Lima House several days ago, was located at Sidney yesterday, and settled the bill in preference to being brought here.

Clinton A. Fisher and W. F. Troop are preparing to open a wholesale and retail cigar establishment at 917 south Main street. Both are experienced cigar men and expect to build up a large trade. Both have removed their families to this city. Mr Fisher is living at 124 north Tanner street, and Mr. Troop at 320 east Eureka.

Lima Lodge K. A. E. O. has leased the I. O. O. F. hall at Main and Wayne streets, and will hold their first meeting in their new headquarters Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A man named R. J. Coburn was arrested by Detective Blaize on suspicion while trying to have a check cashed, signed by J. W. Bowen & Co., of Van Wert. The check was on the First National Bank, of Van Wert, and was found to be o. k.

Wade Hitchcock, of this city, operator on the C. H. & D. railroad at Troy, was quietly married Thursday evening of last week, to Miss Kate Mullaney, of Troy. After spending several days in Cincinnati they returned to Troy where they will make their home.—*Sidney News.*

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Have Been, or are Going.

H. F. Hackedorn returned to Indianapolis last night.

Lou Ashton was over from Spencerville last evening.

Mrs. E. J. Grafton is the guest of of Mrs. Z. H. Mattias, at Gilboa.

Ex-Senator W. W. Sutton, of Ottawa, was in the city last evening.

Miss Daisy Nye and Mr. Roy Bennett will spend Sunday in Waynesfield.

Miss Edna Cockrell, of Elgin, is the guest of her uncle, Sardius Abbott, and family.

Miss Anna Van Blon has returned home after a few weeks visit in Upper Sandusky.

Metellus Thompson was over from Kenton yesterday, looking after his business interests.

Mrs. Edward Holt and baby, of West Minster, were the guests to-day of Mrs. S. R. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Margraf, of Upper Sandusky, are visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Misses Blanche Fasig and Pearl Harruff, of Criderville, spent to-day in Lima with friends.

Misses Edna Black, Mattie Tracey, Minnie Sheeran and Ollie Good will spend Sunday in Delphos.

Mrs. Thos. Stephan and daughter, Hazel, of Forest, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Schlegel.

Mrs. A. W. Rummell and son, LeRoy, left to-day for a visit with friends in Cambridge City, Ind.

Miss Cora Smith, of Dayton, is the guest of Misses Etta and Grace Rumbaugh, of 671 north Jefferson street.

Misses Bertha Greding, of Bluffton, and Hannah Schildknecht, of Tiffin, visited Rev. and Mrs. Burghalter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Flahie, of 468 north Elizabeth street, went to Findlay to spend Sunday with his brother, M. J. Flahie and family.

Mr. Theo. Michael, who has been seeing the Old Country since last May, sailed yesterday from Southampton, England. He is expected here about November 1st.

Mrs. M. R. Mullin and daughter, Miss May, have returned from a visit of seven weeks with Mrs. Mullin's parents in North English, Iowa whom she had not seen for ten years.

Mrs. Wilbur Fisk is in Troy, having been called there by the death of her brother in-law, Hiram Marlatt, a former resident of this city and an employe of the C., H. & D. shops. He was also a brother of Jacob Marlatt, of South Lima.

Chas. F. Remy, of Wapakoneta, was here last night, the guest of his brothers-in-law, Clinton A. Fisher and W. F. Troop. His little daughter, who accompanied him, left last night for a visit with her grandparents in Fremont.

WILL LECTURE.

Rev. R. J. Thomson to Talk to Toledo Young Men.

Rev. R. J. Thomson, of Lima, will give a lecture to young men at Westminster Presbyterian church, under church and Y. M. C. A. auspices Friday evening, October 25. The subject will be "The House that Jack Built." Rev. Mr. Thomson is highly recommended as an orator.—*Toledo Blade.*

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Notice.

R. C. W. Knights of St. John members are going to Minster to-morrow. Please meet at C. H. & D. depot at 7 a. m.

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STREET TALK.

"What's in a name?" Well, the Duke of Marlborough's will have millions in it.

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The friends of Policeman Wingate were greatly surprised Thursday to see him picking himself up out of the street in front of the City Bank. The truth of the matter was that he stopped in front of the bank to see the Primrose & West minstrel parade and rested his foot on the hub of a farm wagon, which was driven off while Mon was deeply interested in the parade.

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Deputy County Auditor John Lamberton was busy in his office in the court house, the other day, when two women entered and laid a piece of paper on the counter, with a great deal of expression. John, ever ready to be attentive to the ladies, dropped his pen and presented himself at the counter.

"Is this any good?" inquired one of the ladies in an excited manner, as she lifted the document toward John.

"Well, I presume so; it's a marriage license. But you'll have to see Probate Judge Robb, a few doors up on the opposite side of the hall," replied John, who was greatly surprised that anyone should call upon him to pass upon the genuineness of a marriage license.

"I suppose it's all right," he continued, "but I'm not married and never had any experience with that kind of a paper."

"You're not married? Well then you can consider yourself happy!"

"Why?" innocently inquired John.

"Well, because I ain't, and if this thing ain't any good I won't have to get a divorce," responded the woman, as she crumbled the paper in her hand and strutted out of the door.

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"I got a terrible blowing up today," remarked the bicycle.

"Yes," replied the bloomers, "you do look pretty well tired."

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The pawnbroker's favorite drink is hock and sell, sir.

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That the population of Lima is steadily and rapidly increasing is illustrated in no manner more reliably than in the continual increase in scholarship in the public and parochial schools.

Superintendent Miller stated to the Board of Education the other evening that thirteen new scholars entered the schools last Monday, and thas they were all strangers in the city. According to Mr. Miller's own figures, these thirteen new scholars represent an increase of sixty-five persons in the population of the city within one week.

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Lima Lodge No. 91 K. of P. has arranged for a series of winter socials, the first of which will be given at Castle Hall next Friday evening. The programme will open with several musical numbers, which will be followed by an informal programme of dances in the banquet hall. Light refreshments will be served.

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The C. & E. will shortly put on through mail trains between Chicago and New York and the cars are now being constructed. The C. & E. has never been much of a mail route and the departure will be quite a boom to the road. Johnnie Wyer and several other P., Ft. W. & C. agents will be transferred to the C. & E. until the new agents, which will be appointed, become familiar. The addition will necessitate another mail transfer wagon.

Go on the

Chestnut excursion via the Ohio Southern R. R., Sunday, Oct. 20th, to Point Lookout and Summit, 150 miles southeast of Lima The train leaves C. & E depot at 7 a. m. $1.00 round trip. More chestnuts this year than any time since '52. In other words, "the woods are full of them."
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Notice.

Dr. C. N. Potts will be at the office of Dr. L. F. Laudick—room 7, Satterthwaite block—on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week. All persons indebted to Dr. Potts will please call and settle such indebtedness. 1t

Cloak Sale The liveliest cloak and cape selling of the city's history starts to-day.

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At the Y. M. C. Association Rooms—Interesting News From the Building—Committee Meeting.

The regular study of Sunday school lessons will be held in the west class rooms to-night at 7 o'clock. All who are in any way interested in the lessons are welcome.

The association building is fast becoming the resort of young men, and an interesting sight is presented to visitors almost any evening in the week. On the main floor will be found numbers of young men improving their minds in the well stocked reading room. A little further along will be found a group engaged in conversation, while still further in one of the other rooms a small crowd enjoying innocent games. Back in the gymnasium from thirty to fifty young men seeking better health. Clerks, bookkeepers and accountants are laying up a store of physical energy that they may better do their daily work. On the floor above may be found a class of young men busy studying, under good teachers, branches of practical knowledge.

Training class has its first regular session to-morrow at 2:15 o'clock. Any young man who wants a better knowledge of his Bible is welcome to this class.

Membership committee meets at 7 o'clock Monday evening. Every member should be there.

Men's meeting to-morrow at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. I. J. Miller will deliver the second of the series of popular talks to men. Subject, "Look! Live!!" Miss Lelia Bowers will sing "The Holy City." These meetings are growing in interest. All men are invited.

GYM NOTES.

The preliminary hare and hound chase Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock, See the physical director for particulars.

The basket ball committee has decided to form a local league. The following are the captains: Messrs. Coss and Fauret, first Seniors; Mayo and Boynton, second Seniors; Chase and R. Plate, clerks' teams. The Senior teams will play Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The first gymnasium contest of the season, Nov. 5th. Entries for members are open now at the physical director's office.

This evening at 8 o'clock, Senior graded work.

FIRED UPON THEM.

Night Police Surprise Burglars at Bluffton.

BLUFFTON, O., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—About 1:30 o'clock this morning, thieves broke a pane of glass near the front door of John Fett's hardware store, and stole four guns. The night policemen opened fire upon them with six shots in rapid succession. They returned the compliment, shooting once, without doing any damage, and fled.

This morning three of the guns were found in a manure pile. There is no clue, but home talent is suspected.

To-night. City Book Store. Auction Sale. Water Color Paintings. Last Day.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

NEARLY COMPLETED.

The Lima Northern is being steadily pushed right along. Grading between this city and West Cairo is nearly completed and the sewer is nearly all in between these points. Between Cairo and Lima the grading is done and everything ready for the ties and iron with the exception of one or two small patches. There is a large gang of men working on the tressle or bridge that crosses the creek between Cairo and Lima, and it is being completed as fast as possible. A great deal of work has been and is being done between here and Ottawa. The road will in all probabilities strike Liepsic, going through that town on the line between Leipsic and West Leipsic. We understand that Leipsic has raised the amount of money required of them for the securing of this line. It is supposed that the laying of the ties and iron will shortly be begun on certain parts of the line where grading has been completed.—*Columbus Grove Clipper.*

CONTRACTS LET.

General Manager A. S. Dunham, of the Ohio Southern, and President Joseph R. Megrue, of the Lima Northern, were in Toledo to-day looking up the details of the new railroad.

They were over the proposed route of the road from Lima to Wauseon yesterday and came to Toledo by rail this morning.

Speaking with a *Bee* Mr. Megrue said:

"We will have the road in operation very soon. All the rails are at Ottawa, and we have secured the right to Malinta, where we join the Clover Leaf. We will probably arrange to come into Toledo over the Clover Leaf tracks."

"Are you making any contracts here in Toledo?"

"Yes, we have just closed a contract with the Toledo Bridge Co. for an iron bridge over the Blanchard river at Ottawa."

"Then you have secured the entire right of way?"

"Well, there are several condemnation suits pending and they will be settled within a few days. Then we will be all right."

The road will parallel the C., H. & D. from Cincinnati to Toledo and connections will be made at Toledo with Detroit.

Messrs. Dunham and Megrue are hustlers and propose pushing the road to prompt completion.—*Toledo Bee.*

DISPATCHER MORGAN RELEASED.

Third train dispatcher Morgan, of the L. E. & W., has been released and the position is being temporarily filled by private secretary Brown, of Sup't Bickell's office.

NOTES.

Conductor Bob Miller, of the L. E. & W., is laying off.

Brakeman Bristol, of the L. E. & W., is laying off on a ten days vacation.

Engineer Demuth, of the C. & E., is running engine 102 on the Marion local.

Sup't H. F. Bickell, of the L. E. & W., returned home last night from Indianapolis.

Chas. Warman, of the L. E. & W., has taken switchman Morrow's place in the yards.

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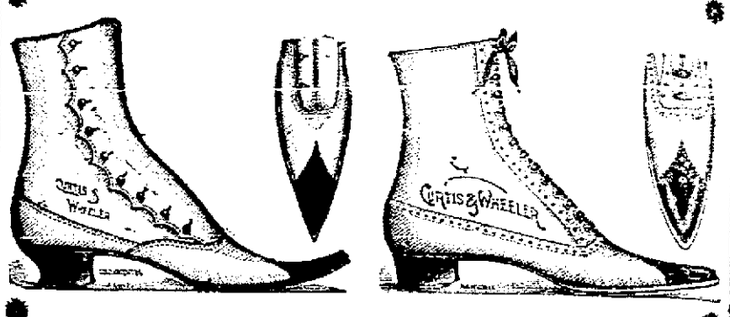

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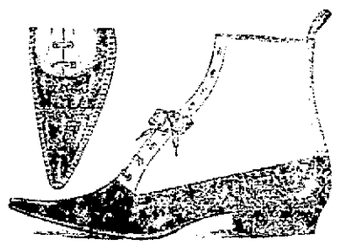

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LIMA MASTER MASONS

Will Attend the Dedication of the Ohio Masonic Home.

All Master Masons are requested to be at Masonic Hall next Wednesday morning by 7 o'clock sharp, to attend the Dedication of the Ohio Masonic Home at Springfield. Lima Lodge No. 205 has decided to go as a body and will be accompanied with a band. All Master Mason's are earnestly requested to attend this dedication and it will be necessary that every Master Mason should be at the Masonic Hall by 7 o'clock sharp, so that all proper arrangements can be made. All Master Mason's wives are cordially invited to attend this dedication as well and it is hoped that there will be a good turn out. Trains will leave Lima at 8 o'clock a. m. over the Ohio Southern road. Fare for the round trip will be $1 30.

Do not dally with rheumatism. Get rid of it once by purifying the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Be sure to get Hood's.

Last Day!

To-night will end the sale of water color paintings at the City Book Store. The auction will continue this afternoon and evening and what are now left will be sold for what they will bring. As these paintings are not sold by any dealer regularly here, it may be the last chance any one will have of purchasing any thing of this kind at any price. Don't fail to attend to-night and make your own price for what you want.

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